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Little League Loses To Texas

By Robert E. Finneran
Townsman Editor

WILLIAMSPORT, PENN.—Andover National's dream of a World Series championship faded Wednesday morning as Spring, Texas, defeated the first team from Massachusetts to appear here by a score of 8-2.

And while manager Jim Arnold may have been somewhat saddened, that disappointment may turn to joy. By the end of the game, he was whisked out of the ball park and flown to Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston to be with his wife, Beth, who was expected to deliver a child sometime Wednesday.

The game was scheduled to be played Tuesday evening at 5, but was rained out and started at 10 a.m. on Wednesday. Unfortunately for Andover, the team's vaunted hitting attack failed in the end. Jason Powell, Texas pitcher, surrendered only four hits over the six-inning game.

Meanwhile, walks and errors hurt the Andover defense. Starting pitcher Toby Guzowski walked three in the first inning, coupled with a pair of singles, led to three opening-inning runs.

The third inning was equally devastating: six walks, a double and a single, combining for four runs. Guzowski was relieved at two and two-thirds innings; and Todd Harris pitched to one batter. Matt Alcott finished up that inning without any further damage.

Andover fans, who occupied a good portion of the first base side of the field, lent plenty of support by standing after every inning, giving the young players an enthusiastic hand and lending encouragement.

Andover made a bit of a run in the second inning when Brian Flanagan led with a double, advanced to third when Paul Allard scored on an error and Rick Saggese singled. Although they had the bases loaded, they were unable to score that inning. It was the only major threat thoughout the game from the Andover team.

Despite the loss, the Andover boys, led by coach Red Harris and manager Arnold, will be here until the final game on Saturday and will be playing a consolation game before then. Saturday's game at 4 p.m. will be telecast nationally.

A-N Came Long Way

By Rick Harrison

Here's a last look at Andover National's impressive and almost overpowering run to the Eastern Regional title last week in Bristol, Conn.

The Bay State champs, 13-1 entering the World Series, began their three-game sweep with a 13-7 cruise past the Rhode Island champs from East Woonsocket.

A mere 24 hours later the bats were still booming as Andover National eliminated pre-tournament favorite Aston-Middletown of Pennsylvania. 14-8.

The title game against the Brandywine All-Stars of Wilmington, Del., produced drama of the highest order, Andover watching a 5-1 lead

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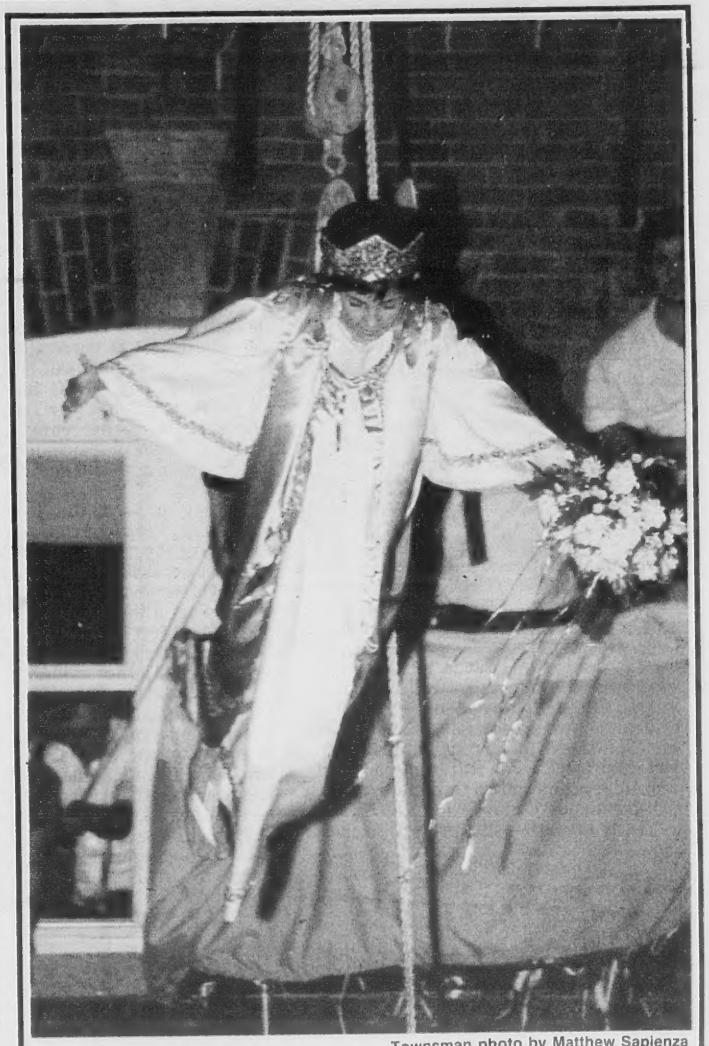

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Diana Marino, 10, of 9 Spruce St. was the angel of Boston's annual Feast of the Fisherman Sunday. Diana, daughter of James and Lorraine Imperato Marino, hangs suspended from a third-story window in the North End. Diana said her flight went smoothly: she wasn't scared and she remembered the Italian prayer she had to recite.

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Michael Tierney, center, assistant secretary of the state Executive Office of Communities and Development, presents a CDAG check to Selectman Charles H. Wesson, Jr. Flanking the pair are Martin Spagat, president of Brickstone Properties Group, and Rep. Susan Tucker at left and Sen. Patricia McGovern and Town Manager Kenneth Mahony at right.

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The state gave Andover a $765,000 grant through the state's Community Development Action grant program Tuesday. The funds will pay for infrastructure improvements in support of the rehabilitation of the Shawsheen Mills complex.

At a press conference on the site of the Shawsheen Mills development, joined by local officials, members of the state legislative delegation, representatives of the Brickstone Properties Group and local citizens, Assistant Secretary of the Executive Office of Communities and Development Michael W. Tierney presented the funds to the town.

"On behalf of Gov. Dukakis and Secretary Amy Anthony, I am pleased to award these CDAG funds to Andover," Tierney said. "This grant will help fund infrastructure improvements which are critical to the successful completion of the Shawsheen Mills rehabilitation project—a project which will bring jobs and economic opportunities to the citizens of the Merrimack Valley."

The Shawsheen Mills project involves the rehabilitation of approximately 540,000 square feet of currently vacant mill building space which will be turned into corporate offices. CDAG funds will pay for the installation of new traffic signals, relocation of electric power lines, sidewalk repair and replacement, landscaping improvements and new curbing along York Street.

Tierney praised the town and the Brickstone Properties Group, which is sponsoring the Shawsheen Mills redevelopement project, "for their commitment to providing economic opportunities for the citizens of the Merrimack Valley."

"This project will help ensure that the historic Shawsheen Mills are completely renovated," Tierney said.

Tierney's visit was made as part of the Dukakis administration's annual regional government days. The governor and members of the cabinet are concluding two days of visits to the North Shore and Merrimack Valley. Dukakis and his cabinet will travel to western Massachusetts next week.

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TOWN HOUSE TOPICS

Drive Carefully On First School Day

Sept. 8 is the first day of school for Andover students. The police department is asking motorists to be aware of children who are walking or riding bikes to school.

Police Chief James Johnson said he has assigned additional patrols for enforcement of traffic laws. These officers will be assigned to patrols from 7 to 9 a.m. and 1 to 5 p.m. Johnson said that last year, the first year he started the traffic control program, was a successful one. "The officers assigned to this program issued numerous warnings and citations," he said. He plans to have the officers on the road before school opens.

John Milne, school safety officer, said the streets immediately around the schools will be targeted first. Officers will be on the lookout for speeders. Milne said the 20 mph school flashing lights are on and will be strictly enforced. Milne noted that in some cases parents bringing their children to school are the offending parties.

Johnson has also assigned the use of the police motorcycle and an unmarked car to monitor school buses for violations. He says any vehicle observed passing a school bus that is stopped to pick up or drop off students will be cited. This includes buses stopped on school property. Parents who bring their children to school are reminded that some schools have designated areas for pickup and dropoff.

Glass Collection Scheduled Saturday

The town's monthly glass collection has been changed to this Saturday because of vacation schedules.

The bin will be in the Town Hall parking lot between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. for your clear, green and brown glass. Andover Recycling Inc. volunteers will be there to help.

The September glass collection will be held on the 17th (the third Saturday of the month) as printed on the yellow recycling schedule cards available in Town Hall.

New Students Register Next Week

Students new to Andover public schools who will be entering grades six, seven or eight can register next week, say the middle school principals.

If you live in the Doherty district, the time to register is Tuesday between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. West Middle School will be holding registration hours every day next week from 9 a.m. to noon. West administrators ask parents to bring their child's most recent report card from his or her previous school and any testing results.

Group Plans Shawsheen Cleanup

Friends of the Shawsheen are sponsoring a river cleanup program Saturday, Aug. 27, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The program is planned in conjunction with the state Adopt-a-Stream program, which encourages communities to clean up local streams.

Participants should meet in the rear parking lot of the Ballardvale Co., 206 Andover St., near Ballardvale Falls.Coffee and donuts will be provided by the Ballardvale Co.

The cleanup will cover about one quarter of a mile, beginning at the falls.

Everyone is welcome to participate. Those interested should bring their own hip boots and gloves. Contact Roy Umanzio, Sr., at the Ballardvale Co. for more information.

No-Smoking Policy Approved

The School Committee gave its final vote of approval to a smoking policy at all Andover public schools. It states that use or possession of tobacco products by students is prohibited; visitors may not smoke within school buildings, and school employees may smoke in restricted areas but it is discouraged.

The administration and individual school principals are responsible for administering the new policy, which is effective this school year.

Superintendent of Schools Dr. Kenneth Seifert said educational efforts to encourage kicking the habit will continue to be offered and even expanded.

The policy decision requires two votes by the committee. It was first approved at the July 19 meeting and again at Tuesday night's meeting.

Festival

Nashoba Valley Winery, 100 Wattaquadoc Hill Road, Bolton, will hold a Harvest Festival Saturday, Sept. 10, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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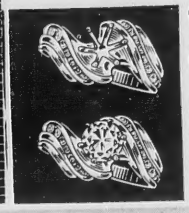
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POLICE LOG

Arrests

Wednesday, Aug. 17—Jim B. Scott, 274 Lowell St., arrested on suspicion of driving under the influence and driving without a license, 9:35; Caroline L. Pike, 10 Blueberry Hill Road, arrested on suspicion of driving under the influence, 10:42 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 19—Claes Mattsson of North Andover, arrested on suspicion of driving under the influence, assault and battery, leaving the scene of an accident involving personal injury and reckless operation of a motor vehicle, 1:37 a.m.

Saturday, Aug. 20—Kenneth A. Covey, 29 Memorial Circle, arrested on suspicion of driving under the influence and driving without a license, 2:19 a.m.

Sunday, Aug. 21—Douglas W. Bleszinski, 27 Pine St., arrested on suspicion of breaking and entering motor vehicle and larceny, 2:54 a.m.; Ingrid A. Fawkes of Wellesley, arrested on state police warrant and for driving an unregistered, uninsured vehicle, driving with a suspended license, 6:40 p.m.; Joseph D. Terrio of Tewksbury, arrested on Lowell warrant and for disorderly conduct, 6:40 p.m.

Accidents

Tuesday, Aug. 16—Non-injury accident, 85 River Road, 4:12 p.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 17—Accident at 7 Andover St., 4:34 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 18—Non-injury accident 92 Wildwood, 9:43 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 19—Accident at 125 Dascomb Road, 11:37 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 20—Accident at 45 York St., 9:38 a.m.

Sunday, Aug. 21—Non-injury accident at 14 N. Main St., 4:42 p.m.

Breaks

Tuesday, Aug. 16—Burglary at 7 Longwood Drive, 2:38 a.m.; break-in reported at Andover Credit Union, 7 Lupine Road, 9:12 a.m.; burglary at 32 Riverine Road, 2:03 p.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 17—Vehicle break-in reported at 125 Old River Road, 6:34 a.m.; motor vehicle break-in reported at 16 Balmoral St., 5:51 p.m.; car break-in at 10 Washington Park, 6:43 a.m.

Saturday, Aug. 20—Scuba gear stolen from truck at 354 N. Main St., 10:40 a.m.; attempted car break-in at 16 Balmoral St., 7:01 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 21—Car break-in reported at 221 N. Main St., 12:40 a.m.; burglary at 34 Salem St., 9:48 a.m.; car break-in reported at 34 Salem St., 10:24 p.m.

Thefts

Tuesday, Aug. 16—Compressor and hoses stolen at 95 Old River Road, 6:59 a.m.; two construction barrels taken from site at 200 N. Main St., 8:31 a.m.; stolen check reported at Shawsheen Plaza, 10:23 a.m.

Wednesday, Aug. 17—Bike stolen at 17 Kenilworth St., 11:28 a.m.; bike stolen at 43 Memorial Circle, 6:41 p.m.; theft reported at 22 Park St., 10:48 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 18—Theft reported at 429 Lowell St., 9:42 p.m.; wallet stolen at Sheraton Rolling Green, 10:28 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 19—Car plate stolen at 23 Woburn St., 4:21 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 20—Bike stolen at 16 Porter Road, 10:31 a.m.; sign taken from Phillips Academy, 6:27 p.m.

Vandalism

Tuesday, Aug. 16—Spray paint vandalism reported at 1 Elm Square, 12:04 a.m.

Thursday, Aug. 18—Lawn damage reported at 5 Juniper Road, 9:11 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 19—Motor vehicle vandalism, 11 Washington Ave., 10:40 a.m.; car window broken by pellet gun, 6 Standish Road, 6:05 p.m.; lawn damage at 27 Forrest Hill Drive, 7:01 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 20—Attempted car break-in at 86 Redspring Road, 5:43 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 21—House window broken at 1 William St., 1:21 p.m.

Monday, Aug. 22—Broken window reported at Andover High School, 12:09 a.m.

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Several community artistic and cultural activities have been given new life by the Andover Arts Lottery Council.

The council awarded grants to local organizations so they can continue to provide a variety of cultural services, from movies to classical music to literature. Many of these could not be funded by other sources, according to the council.

The following grants were awarded for the July funding cycle through certification by the Massachusetts Arts Lottery Council: $1,000 to the Merrimack Valley Philharmonic Society Inc. to aid the funding for the symphony orchestra season; $250 to the Greater Merrimack Valley Chorale Inc. to help support Christmas concerts at Doherty Middle School; $500 to St. Augustine School to help support production of *You're a Good Man Charlie Brown*; $1,000 to the Department of Community Services to help support the free concert and movie series; $500 to Memorial Hall Library for its English literature seminar; $150 to the Museum of American Textile History for its children's program; and $1,000 to the Treble Chorus of New England for its instruction in classical music.

The Andover Council reminds all artists, musicians, performers and humanitarians that the deadline for submitting applications for the January 1989 funding is Oct. 3.

Applications may be picked up and returned to the Department of Community Services, Town Offices, Bartlet Street. For further information, contact Selma Flieder at the DCS office.

MSPCA Honors Animal Hospital

The Andover Animal Hospital, Inc. was awarded a certificate of appreciation for outstanding community service by the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (MSPCA) and the Massachusetts Veterinary Medical Association (MVMA).

In response to the escalating number of unwanted pets, the hospital began offering the Spay/Neuter Assistance Program (SNAP), a financial aid program designed to assist low-income or unemployed pet owners with spay/neuter costs. Under the program, which is jointly sponsored by the MSPCA and MVMA, qualified pet owners receive up to 50 percent off the usual pet sterilization fee.

MSPCA and MVMA officials developed the SNAP program two years go in an effort to stem the swelling number of unwanted animals born in the Commonwealth. More than 13 million animals are killed nationally each year due to the pet overpopulation explosion.

The two organizations credit the success of the SNAP program to community-based veterinarians who participate in the program at their own expense. The Andover Animal Hospital, Inc. staff were commended for their significant contribution to the program and for their personal and professional commitment to the welfare of animals.

Local Student Named To Dean's List

Sandra Pelc was named to the dean's list for scholastic achievement during the second semester at Washington University in St. Louis. She will be among those honored on Sept. 22 at the school's fall honors assembly, which recognizes students for achievements in scholarship, leadership and service to the university in the preceding year.

George Washington University

Mark J. and Keith T. Sampson, sons of John and Lorraine Sampson, 15 Farrwood Drive, received their juris doctor degrees at the 167th commencement of the National Law Center, George Washington University.

Mark, a graduate of St. John's Preparatory School and Bates College, received his juris doctor with honors. He served three and a half years on active service in the Marine Corps and is a captain in the reserve. Mark will be an associate at the Boston law firm of Gadsby and Hannah.

Keith is a graduate of St. John's Prep. and Connecticut College and attended the London School of Economics. He will be an associate in the Washington law office of Leboeuf, Lamb Leiby and MacRae.

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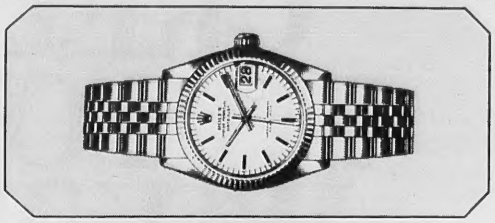
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Children should come prepared to perform a simple poem, nursery rhyme or dramatic interpretation. Participants will be chosen for poise, dramatic ability and voice quality. Confetti Kids will meet on Thursdays in West Elementary's music room from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m.

Last year's classes included monthly guest speakers, a mime workshop with "Dollie & Debbie" and a day of character makeup taught by a former Ringling Brothers clown. The group gained experience by performing locally for senior citizens at the Elks Lodge during the winter holiday season and in the spring at church and club banquets.

Josie Walker, a music teacher in the Andover school system, is the artistic director and primary teacher of Confetti Kids. She has also directed local productions of children's musicals such as *Tumbleweeds, Peter Pan, Joseph.*

Children will be notified by telephone of acceptance before the DCS registration on Sept. 14. Children not chosen will have a chance to work with Walker and Sullivan in a music theater workshop after school on Wednesdays. Admission to the workshop is by DCS registration only.

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Skin Care Salon Founder Buys Company Back From Gillette

Joseph A. Grady and partner John P. Walsh have purchased 81 percent of Elizabeth Grady Face First from the Gillette Co. The sale comes four years after Gillette bought the same stake in the Boston-based skin care salon chain from Grady, who founded the company in 1974 with his daughter, Elizabeth. The sale by Gillette is part of its restructuring program begun in December 1986.

Grady will become chairman and retain the title of president, which he has held since the Gillette purchase; he has also maintained a 19-percent interest in Elizabeth Grady Face First. Walsh, who has a long association with the company, including being the first male graduate of the Elizabeth Grady School of Esthetics, will become executive vice president and will lead the company's expansion campaign.

Elizabeth Grady Face First is the largest chain of skin care salons in the world, operating 14 company-owned locations and three franchises. The company has four Connecticut salons and one in New Hampshire in addition to its Massachusetts stores. It operates the nationally-accredited Elizabeth Grady School of Esthetisc, the first fully-licensed esthetics school in the country.

Grady said the transaction represents "an unbelievable opportunity to take the company forward." Corporate plans include an aggressive regional and national expansion strategy through the addition of both company-owned stores and franchises. Grady plans to add eight locations per year, with a target of 42 salons by the end of 1991.

Grady, a resident of North Andover, said that initial target areas for expansion include western Massachusetts, southern Rhode Island and southern New Hampshire. Each franchise will have an exclusive territory and will receive extensive support from Elizabeth Grady Face First. The company will continue a heavy advertising campaign and provide esthetics training for franchise operation personnel and smooth ordering and supply operations with a computer and telephone network. Grady adds that the company is also investigating a number of international opportunities.

"We expect our franchises to enjoy the same success that every Elizabeth Grady Face First location has had. In 14 years, we have never closed a store and each new salon that opens sets a new record for reaching profitability. For us, franchising will be a way to spread the word and spread the wealth."

Walsh adds that the company's expansion will also create career opportunities for skin care professionals in management and training roles. "We are the industry leader and we will always be looking fo people who share our commitment to staying number one through quality, service and education," he said.

Area Students Enroll In Colleges

Erin Kiley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Kiley of Woodhaven Drive, has been accepted as a freshman at Simmons College in Boston.

The college will hold orientation week Aug. 29 through Sept. 6. Students will be welcomed with a variety of activities, including a theatrical production of *Shear Madness*, a moonlight boat cruise on Boston Harbor and trips to Quincy Market, the John F. Kennedy Museum and the aquarium.

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Kathryn Ahern, daughter of Evelyn Kocher-Ahern of Andover, will enroll at Lawrence University in Appleton, Wis., this fall.

Local Residents Receive Degrees

Lisa Marie Foster, daughter of Dianne Foster of 28 Cross St. and Jerry Foster of Methuen, received a bachelor of arts degree from Oberlin College in Oberlin, Ohio. She graduated with honors in psychology.

Foster was awarded the College of Arts and Sciences' Jerome Davis Industrial Essay prize for the best essay on industry or agriculture and was elected an associate member of Sigma Xi, the national scientific research honor association.

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Laurence A. Picardi of 10 Jefferson Lane has been awarded a master's degree in business administration from Northeastern University's College of Business Administration.

Picardi was elected to membership in Beta Gamma Sigma, the national scholastic honor society for students in business and management. To be eligible for membership, students receiving master's degrees must rank in the upper 20 percent of their class.

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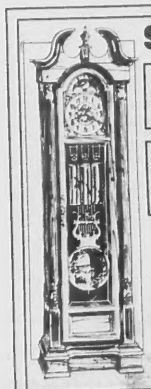

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West Parish Historic District Certified

By Barbara Thibault

The Andover Historical Society, 97 Main St., invites property owners in the West Parish Center Historic District to collect their National Register certificates, which are issued by the Massachusetts Historical Commission and are available at the society. National Register properties are distinguished by having been documented and evaluated for historical importance according to uniform standards. Listing in the National Register also qualifies the owner for federal tax incentives and other preservation assistance.

Although Andover families settled in the town's western areas during the late 17th century and Lowell Street near Cutler Road is the site of an 18th-century bur-

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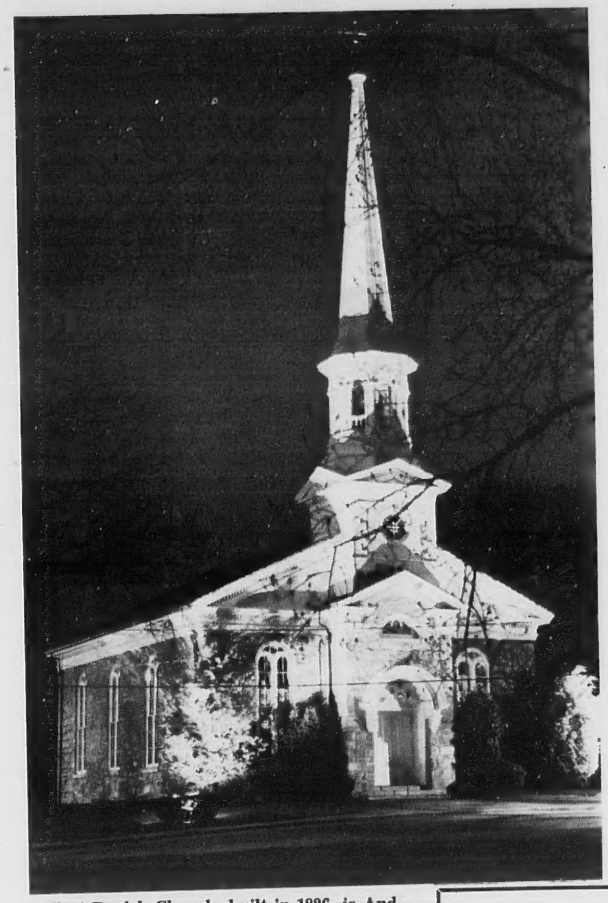

West Parish Church, built in 1826, is Andover's oldest church and the focal point of the newly-certified historic district that surrounds it. Property owners in the West Parish Center Historic District can get their National Register certificates at the Andover Historical Society. Listing in the National Register qualifies the owner for federal tax incentives and other preservation assistance.

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Historic District

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ying ground, the West Parish Center Historic District has its formal beginnings with the 1826 construction of West Parish Church. This historically and architecturally significant meeting house became not only a religious focus but also a social and political force for the community.

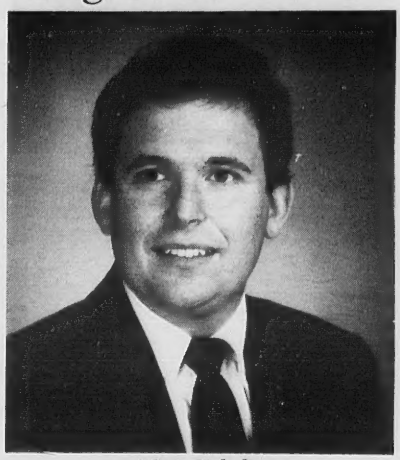
The historic district includes farm houses centered around the church and cemetery. Cultivated fields and open meadows have been replaced by inconspicuous modern cape-style residences. Formerly located at the intersection, Lowell and Beacon streets and Shawsheen, Reservation and High Plain roads were the militia training ground, the schoolhouse and Andover Grange. Even with the changes over time, the West Parish Center largely retains its 19th-century characteristics: buildings covered in original materials and on initial sites, curving and contoured streets lined with trees and stone walls and a religious institution and nearby cemetery prominently situated.

The cultural importance of the church is described in great detail in the congregation's records, generously donated to the Andover Historical Society, and in Eleanor Campbell's book *West of the Shawsheen*. The people of West Andover who petitioned to legally separate from the South Parish were the same as those financially and physically responsible for the new church. For example, Reuben Frye, a captain in the militia and resident of Frye Village (now Shawsheen Village), donated money and laid the building's stone. In fact, his initials are carved above the front doors. Using the church as a base, men, women and children were active participants in the numerous societies: Juvenile Missionary, Singing, Seaman's Friend, Temperace and Anti-slavery.

Physically, the church as been identified as the oldest religious structure extant in Andover. Its original federal-style architecture, featuring a stone symmetrical body, pedimented pitched roof and square bell tower, has not lost its integrity with later alterations. The West Parish Church symbolizes the focal point for the historic district and represents a visual landmark for the community.

More information on districts and individual properties is available in the society's Underhill Reseach Library Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Student Receives Degree At Cornell



Adam Kolodny

Adam Kolodny, son of Paul and Linda Kolodny of Wild Rose Drive, is a recent graduate of Cornell University, earning a degree in electrical engineering. He was active in the Blue Light Escort Service, the freshman orientation program, the engineering orientation program and coordinated community/social activities as a member of his dormitory/housing committee.

Kolodny is a member of Tau Beta Pi, an engineering honor society, and Eta Kappa Nu, an electrical engineering honor society.

He is a member of the technical staff at Bell Laboratories in Parsipanny, N.J.

Women's Race

The 12th annual Tufts 10K for women, formerly the Bonne Bell, will take place Monday, Oct. 10, Columbus Day, at noon.

The start/finish line is at Beacon and Charles streets at the Boston Common. Number pick-up time will be from noon to 6 p.m. on October 9 at the Boston Park Plaza.

Pothier Completes Naval Training

Navy Seaman Apprentice Robert B. Pothier of 7 High Plain Road, recently completed the Naval Academy Preparatory School at Naval Education and Training Center, Newport, R.I.

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Pothier joined the Navy Reserves in June 1987.

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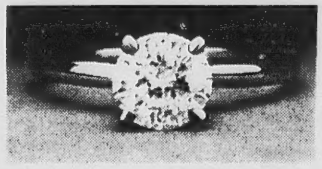

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State Helps Hospital Provide Day Care

Bon Secours Hospital will be using state funds to build a day care center on hospital grounds.

Massachusetts Lieutenant Governor Evelyn F. Murphy recently met with Bon Secours Hospital president/chief executive officer William L. Lane, state Sen. Nicholas J. Costello, state Rep. Larry F. Giordano and Bon Secours Child Care Task Force committee members to discuss the plans.

The center will be for children of hosital employees and possibly be open to the community at a later date. Hospital employees surveyed by the task force expressed a need for on-site day care services.

"Child day care services will provide employees with an important resource and the assurance that their children are receiving good care in close proximity to the workplace," according to Edward G. George, senior vice president and chief operating officer. "It's also a distinct drawing card to working mothers in attracting new employees to the hospital."

"The lieutenant governor is expected to research capital funding opportunities and reimbursement options, which are vital in realizing our day care project goals," explained Child Care Task Force Co-chairman Paul Burns.

Once funding is found and the financial plan is approved by the trustees, the hospital will move forward with the project's construction, Burns said.

The Methuen hospital already plans to establish a temporary child day care service with Bright Horizons of Cambridge for children of hospital employees this fall. The program will be held in a renovated area of the hospital's first floor.

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Debut Novel Creates Stir—But Not At Writer's Home

By Melissa M. De Meo

Mary McGarry Morris just published her first novel. It's been praised by The New York Times, The Los Angeles Times and Writer's Digest. A producer wants to put the book on screen.

But for Morris, life on Abbot Street hasn't changed that much on the outside. "The phone still rings more for Amy than it does for me. That's far more important for a 14-year-old," Morris said. Amy is the youngest of Morris' five children.

Outside her circle of family and friends, not many people had every heard of Mary McGarry Morris. This summer changed all that. That's when Morris' debut novel, *Vanished*, appeared in print.

"It didn't seem like it was mine," Morris said. "I was so used to dealing with manuscripts, then galleys. But then I started reading it. One time, I was supposed to meet my husband for dinner, and he called and said, 'What are you doing?' I said, 'I'm reading—believe it or not—my book.'"

You'd never guess Morris is the author of *Vanished*. Its characters are not the people you'd meet in downtown Andover. Aubrey Wallace, a simple Vermont laborer, and Dotty Johnson, a wild, abused teenager, collide one day, and their lives from then on are hand to mouth, an itinerant existence on diner food and what they can earn at flea markets.

Along the way, Dotty kidnaps an 18-month-old baby she and Aubrey call Canny, who becomes the key to the tragedy that ensues. The odd "family" ends up setting up temporary house in a seedy cabin run by ex-convict Jiggy Huller. Huller and Dotty plot to get ransom money from Canny's natural parents—a scheme that winds the book up to its suspenseful and wrenching climax.

Although Morris makes you sympathize with all of the people she creates, the focal character is Wallace, the bewildered man whose 40-plus year of life were uneventful and forgettable until Dotty. The hapless Wallace is at the mercy of his own fate, almost like a Thomas Hardy character, until his love for Canny gives him a self-sufficiency—and finally, a dignity—that he'd never known.

"I became seized with the characters," Morris said. "The longer you spend with people, the more you like them, even though they're people with problems and faults.

"Usually I feel more directed than directing. The characters suddenly surprise you. You sort of sit back and say, 'That's why he did that.'"

Her style has been compared to John Steinbeck's and Carson McCullers'—a comparison a lot of publishers didn't see at first. Morris almost gave up on *Vanished* after a pile of rejection slips passed through her mailbox. She had been working on other drafts of novels, but decided the *Vanished* manuscript would be the "easiest and quickest to sell."

"It has more commercial appeal," she said. "That's why it surprises me when the publisher and others refer to it as 'literary.' It is literary, *but*..."

But it was years before Morris found someone willing to take on the book. Morris said she was surprised at how quickly agent Jean Naggar piqued a publisher's interest. Viking released the book June 15.

Most of the criticism coming in the book's wake has been favorable. One reviewer called the ending, an epilogue told from Dotty's point of view, contrived, but most found her voice unique and compelling and her tale a convincing one.

"I've been amazed by the attention it's received," Morris said. "I never expected it. I'm very pleased, of course, when it's positive. Any kind of (negative) criticism can be distressing—especially when you're doing it for the first time."

The very first time. Although Morris says she's written stories since her girlhood in Rutland, Vt., *Vanished* is her first published work.

Morris' love of books started at an early age. She grew up in the Rutland home of another writer, Edith Dutton. "It was fascinating to roam in the attic. The family had left behind boxes and boxes of books," she recalled. "Edith was the kind of thing you didn't talk about. And she wrote just girls' stories. For years, (writing) just wasn't the thing for women to do."

Times have changed. Morris studied English at the University of Vermont and the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

For six years, she was a financial assistance social worker at the Lawrence Department of Welfare. Morris' job was to determine if her clients were still eligible for welfare payments.

Those years gave her fodder for her stories, but, Morris said, the characters in *Vanished* aren't based on anyone in particular. "I think when you create specific people, you do end up with some universal qualities," she said.

Vanished, like Morris' other writings, started out as a longhand manuscript before going to the typewriter for second and more drafts. Her family were the only people who know about Morris' fledgling book, and they were the first to read it. "Their reactions pleased me; they all liked it," Morris said.

Now that her readership isn't confined to her household, Morris is still getting comments on the book, and she likes to know what people think. "I was interviewed by the Christian Science Monitor radio, and the woman who was doing the interview came out and introduced herself, and then she went like this," said Morris, strangling the air with her outstretched fingers. "And she said, 'How could you do that to poor Aubie?' So I feel I've succeeded at some level."

Mary McGarry Morris' novel, *Vanished*, is the first thing she's ever had published. The Abbot Street resident says she's surprised by all the attention the book's getting. Reviews have appeared everything from The New York Times to Vogue.

Nowadays, when people write letters or phone Morris, they're always brief. "They talk quickly and say things like, 'Well, I'll let you go; you must be busy.' Nobody ever did that before."

Working in a study crowded with newspaper clippings and books, Morris has finished the first draft of another novel. "The only similarity," says Morris, comparing the new work to *Vanished*. "is that it's not about happy people. It's about a troubled woman."

With one novel behind her, Morris said the best piece of advice she could give any aspiring novelist is to persist. "There are so many times and so many ways to give up," she said. "You have to have a lot of self-confidence and confidence in the book."

Andover Man Honored For Achievement

Andover resident Donald C. Bland, senior vice president of Northeast region of Lechmere Inc., the Massachusetts-based hardlines retail store, has been elected to receive the 1988 achievement award of the Black Retail Action Group Inc.

The BRAG award is presented annually to a select group of individuals who have distinguished themselves in the retail industry through their creativity, leadership and managerial expertise.

According to J.J. Thomas, BRAG president, Bland has demonstrated drive, determination, leadership and professional expertise. "The contributions and success of Donald Bland are a major source of inspiration and encouragement to black Americans who have similar goals and aspirations," he said.

Bland, who joined Lechmere in 1984 as director of stores, holds a bachelor of arts degree in elementary education from Harris Teacher's College in St. Louis, Miss. A native of St. Louis, he is married and has three children.

The award will be presented Oct. 7 at BRAG's 18th annual awards dinner in New York City. Proceeds from the dinner will help fund self-help projects in minority communities.

Donald C. Bland

Exercise Courses

The community health education department of the Regional Health Center in Wilmington is offering innovative exercise programs.

Aerobic dancing, to improve cardiovascular system, will be offered Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept. 13-Nov.3, from 9 a.m. to 10 a.m., 5:10 p.m. to 6 p.m. (intermediate) and 6 p.m. to 6:50 p.m. (light-paced). A program will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays, Sept. 12-Nov.2, from 5:10 p.m. to 6 p.m. (intermediate) and 6 p.m. to 6:50 p.m. (light-paced).

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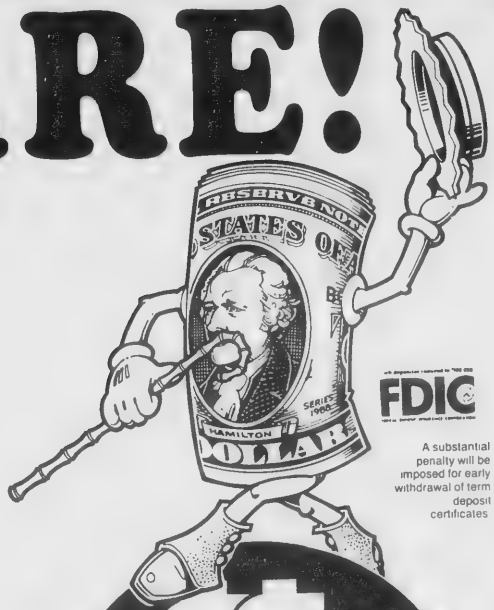

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The growing congregation of St. Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church needed more space, so they're building a new church on Chandler Road. Members expect to attend their first service in the new building next month.

New Church Goes Up In Town

Construction of the new Sts. Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church on Chandler Road is well underway, according to the president of the church's board of directors, Charles Liponis.

"People will be surprised when they see the church at the annual Fall Festival (Sept. 9-11)," Liponis said. "We hope to have the first sermon sometime in September."

The Fall Festival will feature live entertainment, Greek food, an auction and a craft sale. It will be held at the new church site.

The church needed a new building to accommodate its growing congregation, Liponis said. "We have a great many people moving to the suburbs from the city," he explained.

In the past, many families have retained their affiliations with their old churchs because there wasn't room for them at the Lawrence facility, Liponis said. But he says the new church will change things, and he estimated that there are 450 to 500 families in the Merrimack Valley who will attend the church in Andover.

Money for construction, which is being handled by Charles Construction, was raised by several fund-raisers—pledges from the congregation, the "Faith and Initiative" fund drive, an art auction, dinner dance and the sale of a yearbook commemorating the new church. Still pending is the sale of the old church on Essex Street in Lawrence.

Funds from these activites should cover almost all of the costs of the new church's construction, Liponis said. And, he added, fund-raising activities will continue until all of the costs can be covered.

The style of the Lawrence congregation's $1 million new church is neo-Byzantine, and it symbolizes the growth of the Greek Orthodox community of Lawrence and the Merrimack Valley, he said.

"The church is going to be gorgeous," Liponis said.

G.E.D. Exam

Middlesex Community College will offer a 14-week preparation course for students who want to take the high school equivalency exam (G.E.D.), starting September 13 from 6:45 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Emphasis will be on basic English usage, including reading, grammar and spelling and arithmetic.

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Miss Ivers is presently entering her 13th year of dance training and is a graduate of the Dance Teacher's Training Program from the Dance Teacher's Club of Boston. She completed 3½ years as a teacher's assistant and taught for the National Council of Dance Teachers Org. National Medal Testing Program. She has travelled to New York and studied with Sam Fiorello, Marcus Alfred of Gus Giordano, Sharon DiCrosta and Ronnie DeMarco. She has studied dance at the University of Mass.-Boston and child psychology at Salem State College. Miss Ivers has recently returned from New Jersey where she was a winner in the United States Tournament of Dance this past July.

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'Wizard' Auditions

Auditions for Andover Theatre Company's fall musical *The Wizard of Oz* have been scheduled at West Elementary School

The well-known musical, a children/adult production following in the tradition of last fall's successful *Annie*, will be presented in early November.

Adult roles include eight principal parts and a male and female chorus. Parts include the familiar roles of Aunt Em, Uncle Henry, the Straw Man, the Tin Man, the Lion, the Wizard and the Good and Bad Witches. Audition dates for adults are Sept. 6 and 7 at 7 p.m. Adults will be asked to sing a song of their choice, dance and perform a reading selected by the director.

Children 5 years of age and older may audition for the parts of Dorothy, the Lollipop Kids, Munchkins, Winged Monkeys and chorus on Sept. 7 and 8 at 7 p.m. Each child should be prepared to sing a song of his/her choice; girls trying out for the part of Dorothy should be prepared to sing "Over the Rainbow." Children auditioning for the winged monkeys should be prepared to show their gymnastic ability.

James Gergenti, who has directed ATC's *Annie* and the 15th anniversary presentation of *Memories*, is the director. Michael Barbo, who has appeared in a number of ATC productions, is the producer.

The Andover Theatre Company operates in conjunction with Andover's Department of Community Services. Membership is open to anyone interested in performing or furthering the arts. People wishing to help with the upcoming production can contact the director, producer or ATC president Janet Alberich of Andover.

YWCA Offers Fitness, Aquatic Programs

The YWCA in Lawrence starts its all fitness and aquatic programs Monday, Sept. 12. The seven-week term runs through Oct. 29.

The fitness schedule includes an "eye opener" session on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 7 a.m. to 7:45 a.m. Early birds can start the day with stretching, strengthening and toning

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At The Playgrounds

Ha-Kow-Wee: The last week at Ha-Kow-Wee was full of exciting activities. The week began with finger painting. Stephanie Ciampa, Lindsey Pearson, Michelle Leary, Tara Locke, Brian Tasker and Leanne Shaw made beautiful designs while counselors Erik Friese and Stephanie Aumais supervised an intense game of running the bases. Stephanie Buck, Bernie Vajda, Jen Buck, Courtney Cunningham, Phil DiBlasi and many other participated on Tuesday. Counselors, children and a few lifeguards participated in a game of volleyball at Pomp's Pond. Ha-Kow-Wee was joined by the playgrounds on Wednesday for a fun-filled day. There was a cookout and Jen Buck, June DiBlasi, Andy and Matt DiMore, Jeff Irvine and Jason Shaw participated in tie-dying. Mrs. Vajda made fried dough for everyone. On Friday, the last day at Ha-Kow-Wee, there were sundaes for everyone and Mrs. DiBlasi gave the camp a watermelon.

Bancroft: Monday's car wash was not really a success, only three cars re washed, but it was great fun, according to Mike Mulcahy, Brandy and Allan and Stephen Mackey. Marie Cutler and Andy won the water balloon toss while Alan Hibino, Brad Mccue and Chris Lane got soaked. On Tuesday Pat Hess, Brian London and Tiffany Lewis enjoyed weaving with yarn and straws. Jeremiah Couch, Megan Roth, Tammy Taggart and Stephanie Brown enjoyed Canobie Lake Park. The playground olympics was won by USA, captained by Allen Hibino with valuable members Keith Lynch, Paz, Pat Hess and Robby Piantoni. Everyone enjoyed Friday's ice cream party.

Sanborn: Voting was close in a Mr. and Miss Sanborn competition on Monday, but Laren Tessier was first runner-up and Julie Mullane was declared Miss Sanborn of 1988. Mr. Sanborn was Joe Shea with his brother, Eric, first runner-up. Sanborn went to South on Tuesday for a game of baseball. Ellen Mullane hit a homerun. Her sister, Julie, also made some great hits. Eric Shea and Justin Pierce played great at bat and in the field. Christina Carusone and Kristin Loved the tea cup ride at Canobie Lake Park on Wednesday. Lauren Sweeney and Shannon Breen loved the view from the top of the ferris wheel. Amanda Furcano was all excited about the giant roller coaster. The money earned at the bake sale last week was used on Thursday for movies and popcorn, candy and cake. Friday's ice cream party was great.

Shawsheen: Everyone brought their favorite things to show-n-tell on Monday. Popsicle stick people were made and everyone brought hot dogs and hamburgers for a cookout. Tuesday was a field trip to the Stone Zoo. Cheryl Biggio and Ericka Douvadjian liked the seals while Dominick Palumbo was interested in the birds. Everyone got to ride on a schoolbus and had a good time. Beautiful and colorful shirts were tie dyed on Wednesday. It was also McDonald's Day. Lauren and Caitlin Woo enjoyed their Chicken McNugget Happy Meals. Alex Caplan and Chris Sullivan wore their new tie-dyed shirts on Thursday. We made tissue paper butterflies and felt beanbags and we had a field day. T.J. Martin, Debbie O'Connell and Caitlin Woo, Eric Jenike, David Stetson and Jessica Olans did well at relay races in the gym. David Stetson and Matthew Jones were the last ones left in the egg toss and Stephanie and Brendan won for the counselors. There was an ice cream

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Reception

An opening reception for an exhibit called "Merrimack Valley Artists See Lawrence, Massachusetts" will be held Thursday, sept. 1, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Lawrence Heritage State Park Visitors Center, corner of Canal and Jackson streets in Lawrence.

The exhibit runs through September.

YWCA

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exercises set to music.

Seniors are encouraged to stay healthy by participating in "seniorcise" on Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:30 a.m. to 10 a.m.

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Playgrounds

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smorgasbord for all the kids and their parents on Friday.

West Elementary: Monday started with a game of kickball and dead dog. The game of dead dog was for the championship. Christie was the champion with Chris Kearns the runner up. Top players in kickball were Anthony Rita, Teddy Witman and Mike Kelly. Allison McClearn and Aimee Ferry finished their string bracelets on Tuesday and were wearing them by the end of the day. Everyone cooled off with the flavor ices that Becca brought. Wednesday the playground went to Canobie Lake Park. Teddy Witman and Chris Kearns loved the Turkish Twist. The Flume was a great hit. One of the more relaxing rides was the train. Beth Cummins waved goodbye as Dave Chartland and Stuart Winters rode away. The food stands seemed to be the biggest hit. Thursday started with a great game of softball. Cody Frost, Ross Austin, Ronnie Hancock and Jason Pratt were top players. Chris Cataldo, Katie Witman, Deana Gray and Lindsey Bates played quietly on the gym equipment. Christine bought candy.

South: Lisa Marcella and a few Sanborn students travelled to South on Tuesday for a baseball game. Lillian Gabriel, Danny Barch, Megan Lynch and Jenny Brooks particpated. Christi Connor, James Sibelle, John Sibelle, Lillian Gabriel, Will Bailey, Colleen Sheehy, Jeff Winn, Marc Edwards, Craig Edwards, Tom Davis, Jaclyn Ascott, Suzanne Doucette and Mindy Fox traveled to Canobie Lake Park on Wednesday. There were ice cream sundaes for the end-of-summer party on Friday. All the campers and staff want to thank the principal and janitorial staff for permitting the use of their facility.

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cises on hips, stomach and thighs on Tuesday and Thursday.

A stress reducing exercise class has been especially developed for teachers and other school personnel on Mondays and Wednesdays from 2:45 p.m. to 3:15 p.m.

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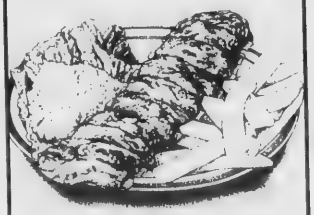

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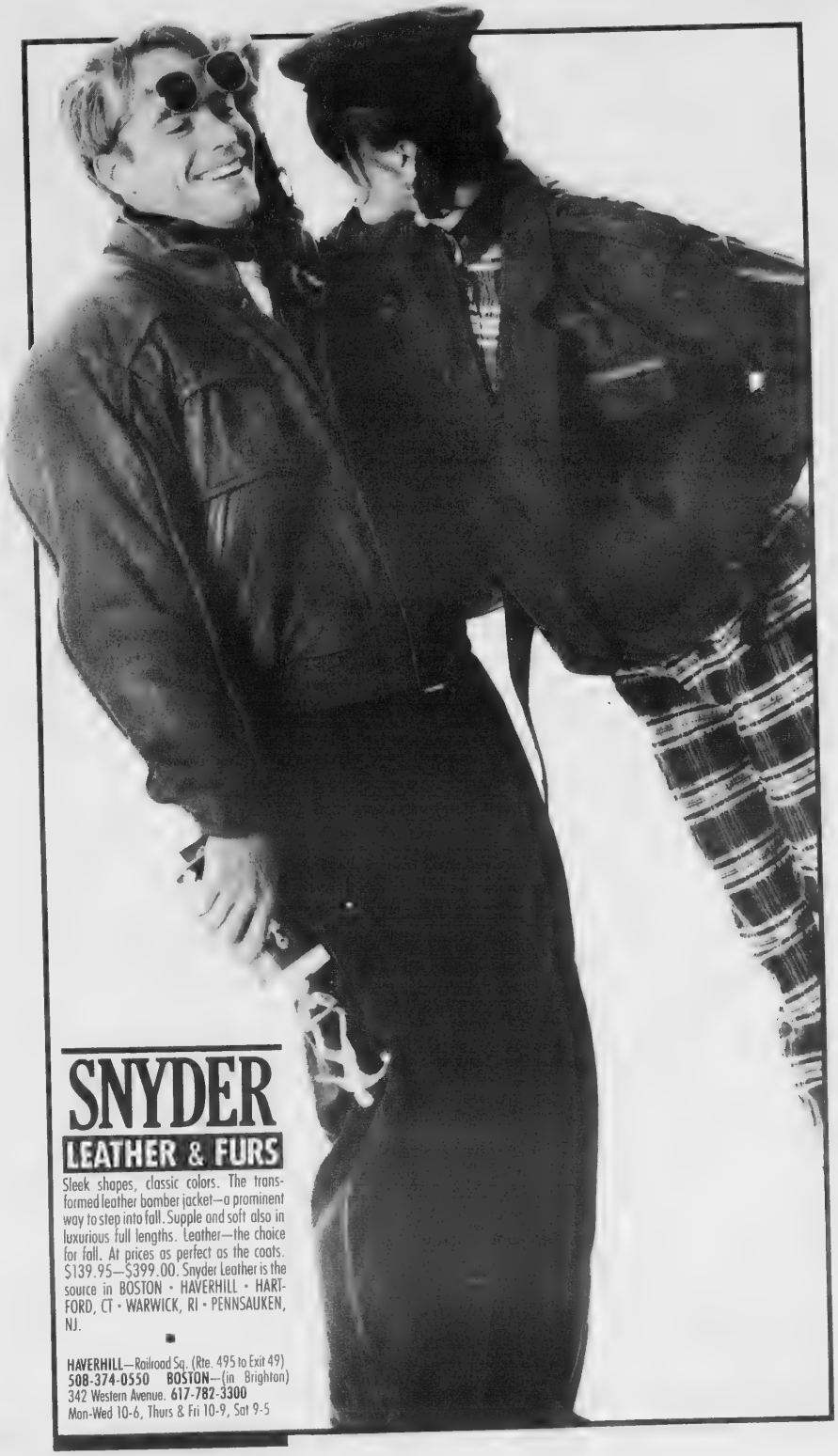

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Census Bureau Needs Employees

The U.S. Census Bureau needs temporary workers to fill community-service jobs in Essex County.

These paid positions, lasting from two to eight weeks, involve helping to compile a master address list for use during the 1990 decennial census. Armed with computer-generated maps, workers will drive or walk through designated areas of Essex County listing every housing unit. The resulting address lists will be combined with other lists purchased from commercial vendors to build a nationwide automated address file that will be the key component to a successful census in 1990. Census bureau regional director for New England and upstate New York Arthur G. Dukakis says "The automated address file will be the central mechanism to keep track of over 100 million census questionnaires nationwide."

During the census, the automated address list will be used to record which questionnaires have been returned and pinpoint households where follow-up visits are required to gather missing or incomplete information. The address list also serves as the source used by the census bureau in tabulating its pre-census and post-census counts of housing units for review by local governments. Each address in the master file will be coded with its unique geographic location, permitting the census bureau to tabulate responses for the proper block, neighborhood and governmental jurisdiction.

Students, homemakers, retirees and other citizens over the age of 18 interested in learning more about their community, contributing some time to help a national effort and earning extra money, can contact the local census field office in the Whittier Building, 87 Winter St., Haverhill.

ANDOVER CONSERVATION COMMISSION ANDOVER, MASS. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT as Amended Chapter 131, Section 40, M.G.L.

A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 1 September 1988 at 8:55 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., Andover on the Request For Determination filed by **Paul Demerjian** for a project located at 6 Rose Glen Drive. This project consists of construction of a proposed swimming pool. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlet Street, Andover.

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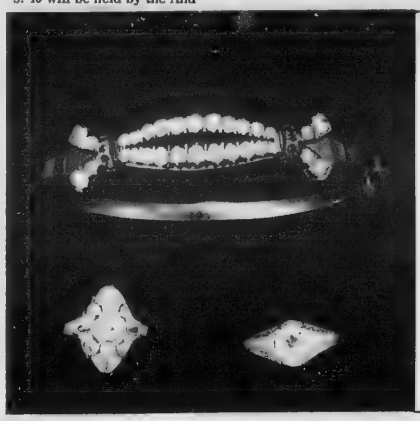

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A buffet breakfast will be ready at 7:30 a.m. so the meeting can get underway with introductions of members and guests, sharing of business cards and networking. Harris will speak at 8 a.m. and involve participants in table discussions. The program ends by 8:45 a.m., allowing time for informal discussion and a quick getaway to work.

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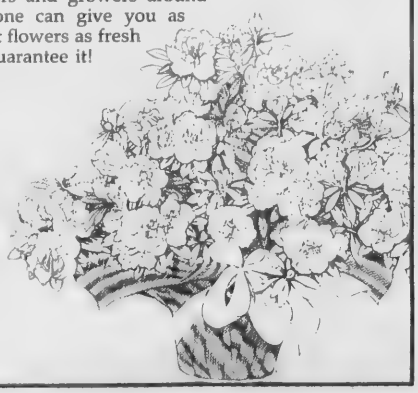

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Student Awarded Merit Scholarship

Janet Snell of Mercury Circle received a Tufts University Merit Scholarship.

Snell, a 1988 Andover High School graduate, was a member of the National Honor Society and graduated with honors. She was a member of the swim team, receiving two varsity letters, the ski team, peer counseling, "The Connection" and the American Field Service Club.

Snell, who will attend Tufts this fall, has also been awarded scholarships from McDonald's, Hewlett-Packard and the state of Massachusetts.

She is one of over 2,800 winners to receive Merit Scholarships sponsored by some 200 higher education institutions in the United States this year. Officials of the sponsor college chose the winners from among Merit Program finalists, who reported plans to attend that institution.

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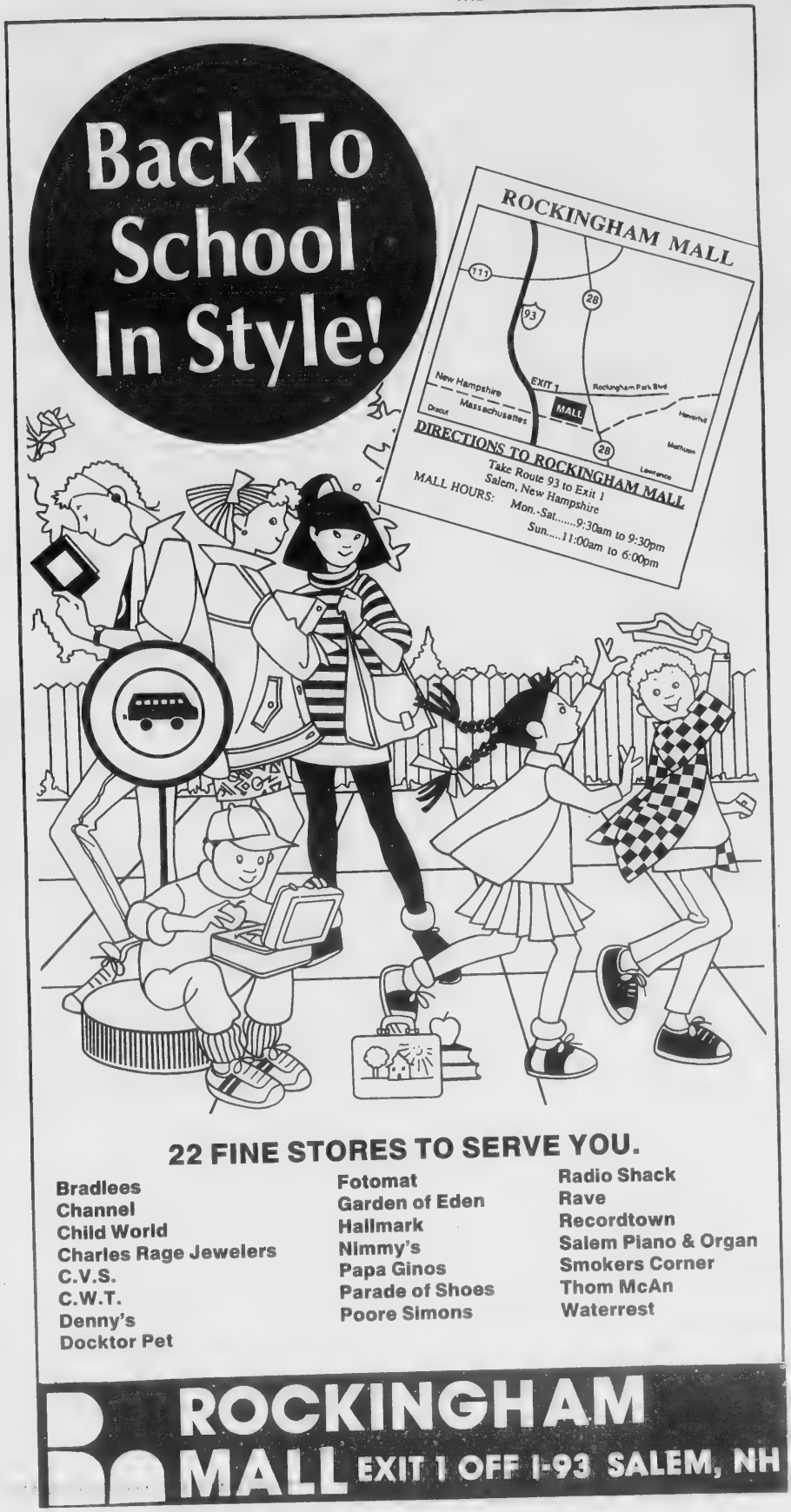

Energy Group Helps County Residents Save Money

For almost two years Essex County residents have been saving money and energy with interest-free loans from HEAT.

HEAT, the Home Energy Assistance Team, is the state's interest-free loan program for homeowners with an annual income of less than $75,000 who want to make energy conservation improvements on their homes.

Action Energy, a non-profit corporation located in Gloucester, has been administering HEAT since its inception in September 1986. Since then Action has issued more than 600 loans saving customers $856,370 of interest. These same customers have invested more than $2.2 million in energy conservation measures such as attic and wall insulation, replacement heating and hot water systems, storm windows and doors and prime windows and doors.

"An investment in energy-saving improvements to your home not only saves you money while increasing your comfort, but also helps reduce the demand on our nation's energy resources," says David Dow, an energy conservation specialist at Action Energy. "From an investment standpoint, energy-conserving improvements can be best made by looking at the payback over time. The payback period is a function of the money saved on a yearly basis relative to the initial cost of the improvement."

Usually measures homeowners can do themselves are the most cost-effective; window and door weatherstipping and easily accessible insulation jobs. Attic, wall and basement insulation, specially where none exists, always have a short payback period.

Insulation is relatively inexpensive and actually is the most effective measure against the home's major source of heat loss. Insulation paybacks based on savings are usually five years or less.

"The initial cost for a total heating system is high, but usually the homeowner can save 20 percent or more from his current energy costs by replacing an inefficient burner or system," Dow said.

The least cost-effective measure with the longest payback period, 20 years or more, would be replacement windows. It has been found that windows with storms are not a major source of the home's heat loss.

HEAT will pay up to $4,000 of interest on a loan or cover the interest costs for five years, whichever is less. The loan has to be a minimum of $1,000 and, depending on interest rates and loan terms, can be as high as $15,000 and still be interest-free.

Interested homeowners are required to have a home energy survey. The homeowner is issued a prioritized shopping list of improvements including estimated costs and yearly savings. HEAT will arrange the home energy survey either through MASS-SAVE, Bay State Gas Company or the local municipal company, whichever is appropriate.

The HEAT interest-free loan is a way to take advantage of these possible energy-savers. HEAT is being administered in the Andover area by Action Energy, 47 Washington St., Gloucester 01930. Homeowners are invited to contact them for a loan application and arrange an energy survey.

Budget Cuts

Dr. George Traicoff, president of North Shore Community College in Beverly, said the college must absorb more than $500,000 in budget cuts in fiscal 1989, after meeting mandatory contractual obligations. The major impact will be felt in personnel accounts, both full-time and part-time, thereby affecting program offerings and student services, he said.

Most positions vacated during the last six months will remain temporarily unfilled, includng full-time faculty positions in nursing, office technology and natural science.

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Students attending the weekend college are in class Saturdays only from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The first class is from 9 a.m. to 2:25 p.m. with an hour lunch break and 15-minute coffee break. The second class is from 2:30 p.m. to approximately 5:20 p.m. Each semester lasts 14 weeks. An associate's degree in applied sciences is achieved in two years.

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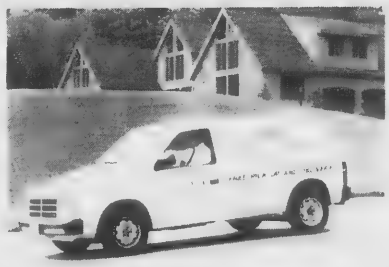

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PA Instructor Wins Award

Karl Baden, who teaches photography at Phillips Academy, is the recipient of an Artists Foundation $500 finalist award in the 1988 Massachusetts Artists Fellowships Program in crafts and photography.

This program is funded by the Massachusetts Council on the Arts and Humanities, a state agency, and administered by the Artist Foundation, an independent non-profit organization.

Baden is one of 141 people to receive the finalist award. The selection process is anonymous and is based solely on the artistic merit of the work submitted and reviewed by a panel of out-of-state panelists.

The foundation also awarded 58 $9,500 fellowships. An exhibition of those finalists' work, "Snap, Crackle, Pop," will be displayed from Sept. 6 to Oct. 8 at the Artists Foundation Gallery.

The gallery is located on the first floor of the Massachusetts State Transportation Building, 8 Park Plaza, Boston. It's open Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 10 a.m to 6 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; and Saturday, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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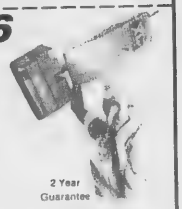

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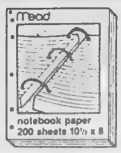

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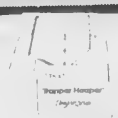

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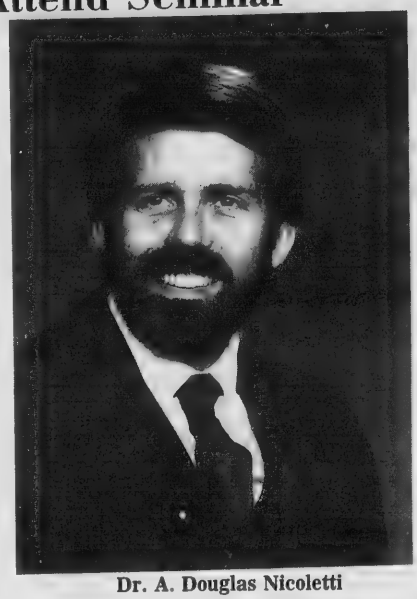
Chiropractor To Attend Seminar

Dr. A. Douglas Nicoletti, director of the A. Douglas Chiropractic Clinic in Salem, N.H., and an Andover resident, received an invitation from Harvard Medical School to participate in a symposium on low back pain and sciatica.

According to Nicoletti, who has been in private practice for more than 25 years, this is a milestone in chiropractic education, "When I graduated from chiropractic college the state of Massachusetts did not recognize chiropractic as a separate healing art. We did not have state or federal recognition and our educational institutions were isolated by medical boycott."

Today chiropractic enjoys both state and federal recognition and insurance inclusion in all major health plans, private and government. "Our colleges are accredited and we are licensed in all 50 states as doctors of chiropractic. We sit as peers among all the branches of the healing arts and participate in the highest quality continuing education available," Nicoletti said.



Dr. A. Douglas Nicoletti

The record for the most gold medals for Olympic swimming is held by American Mark Spitz. He won a record even in 1972 and two in 1968. Of these, eight were won in record time. He also holds a silver and a bronze from 1968.

College Fair

Admissions officers from more than 200 private and public colleges and universities in New England will participate in the 1988 College Fair in the Charles A. Dana Athletic Center at Bentley College in Waltham on Sunday, Sept. 25, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

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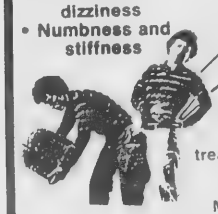

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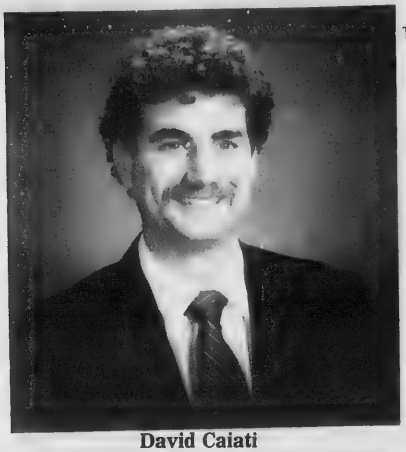

David Caiati

Adam Liberman

Worcester Polytechnic Institute

Several Andover residents received degrees from Worcester Polytechnic Institute in Worcester in May during the college's 120th commencement exercises.

David V. Caiati of 3 Meadow Brook Drive received a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering. Adam M. Liberman of 3 Garfield Lane E. earned a bachelor of science degree in computer science and graduated with high distinction.

Julie Peck of 44 Cricket Lane in North Andover received a bachelor of science degree in management engineering. She graduated with distinction.

Master of business administration degrees went to David Paolino of 13 Glen Meadow Road and Tej Sharma of 10 Wedgewood Drive. Ronald E. Dann of 4 Rock O'Dundee Road received a master of science degree in computer science.

The local graduates were among the 819 students who were awarded degrees at Worcester Polytech May 21. B.S. degrees went to 618 seniors. M.S. degrees were awarded to 134 students, and MBA degrees were presented to 26.

On Dean's List

Michelle L. Houde of North Andover was named to the dean's list for superior academic achievement at Keene State College for the spring semester of last academic year.

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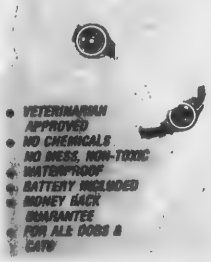

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Northeastern University

Local residents were among the 3,895 Northeastern University graduates who received degrees at the school's June commencement ceremonies in the Boston Garden.

The grads who received bachelor's degrees are Linda A. Ahles, 3 Moraine St., pharmacy; Jeanne M. Asoian, 29 Bateson Drive, criminal justice, honors; Beth D. Bellia, 212 Greenwood Road, electrical engineering, honors; Linda Blake, 6 Spruce Circle, University College; Anthony M. Capano, 2 Millstone Circle, pharmacy; Joseph J. DeStefano, 18 Woburn St., computer science, high honors; Kathleen Donovan, 63 Bartlet St., College of Arts and Sciences, honors; Richard J. Flaherty, 3 Snowberry Road, business administration; Kathleen A. Gemmell, 290 Salem St., College of Arts and Sciences, honors; John M. LaCreta, 16 Apache Ave., criminal justice, honors; Cheryl M. Menzies, 6 Memorial Circle, business administration; Sharon Siudut, 125 Haverhill St., chemical engineering and Adam J. Wolensky, 10 Starr Ave., business administration.

Master's degrees went to John Costanzo, 11 Delphi Circle, criminal justice; Tirza Haviv, 4 Hartford Circle, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences; Thomas E. King, 66 Maple Ave., engineering management; Linda Kriesman, 16 Balmoral St., technical and professional writing; Laurence A. Picardi, 10 Jefferson Lane, business administration; and Henry S. Yang, 11 Dascomb Road, electrical engineering.

Associate's degrees went to Margaret Flanagan, 12 Starr Ave. E., dental hygiene; Patricia J. Pzegeo, 15 Rennie Drive, University College; and Barbara Thompson, 108 High Plain Road, dental hygiene.

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McGovern Seeks Re-election

State Sen. Patricia McGovern (D-Lawrence) announced that she is seeking re-election to the Massachusetts Senate for the 1989-90 legislative session. McGovern represents the towns of Andover, Billerica and Tewksbury and the city of Lawrence.

"I have been pleased and honored to represent the communities of Lawrence, Andover, Tewksbury and Billerica in the State Senate for the past seven years. I look forward to the opportunity of serving another term so that I can continue to work actively on issues which rise in and impact my district," she said.

McGovern has been a member of the Senate since 1981. She was appointed chairman of the Senate Committee on Ways and Means in 1985, the first woman in the state's history to receive such an appointment.

McGovern has chaired the Senate Committee on Criminal Justice, where she was instrumental in enacting such legislation as stiffening penalties for drunk driving and creating a support system for victims of crime.

As chairman of Senate Ways and Means, she has worked to bring substantial amounts of state aid to her district in the form of economic development projects, grants for programs such as drug prevention and various public works projects and start-up funds for employment training programs.

"The economic future of my district is of extreme importance to me. Whether it is helping to steer economic development projects and, thus, additional jobs or voting to increase local aid amounts to my communties, I am eager to continue working towards increasing the economic vitalization of our communities," McGovern said.

She has been involved in securing funding for such

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Bates College

Three Andover residents graduated from Bates College in Lewiston, Maine, at the college's 122nd commencement in May.

James A. McAllister, son of John and Beverly McAllister of Andover, received a bachelor of science degree in physics. A dean's list student, McAllister was a member of the New World Coalition, the Representative Assembly, the Physics Society and WRBC, the student radio station.

McAllister was a leading member of Bates' indoor and outdoor track teams, serving as captain of outdoor track in his senior year.

He is a graduate of Andover High School.

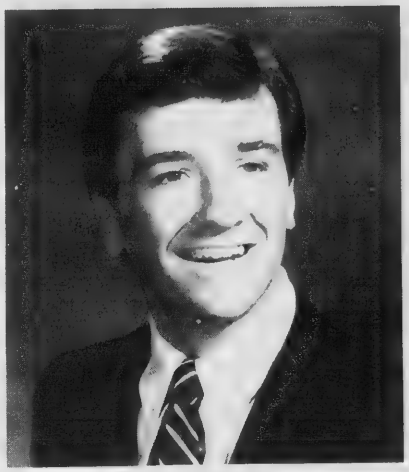
Paul D. Murphy, son of David and Ann Murphy of 1 Punchard Ave., received a bachelor of arts degree in mathematics.

Murphy was a four-year letterwinner on the swim team and a co-captain in his senior year. A dean's list student and a Dana Scholar, Murphy served as a junior adviser and a resident coordinator. He was active in the Campus Association and the Representative Assembly and was elected president of the senior class.

Murphy, a 1984 graduate of Phillips Academy, will be a teaching fellow in mathematics at his high school alma mater this school year.

James M. Shea, son of James and Carolyn Shea of 87 Chandler Road, received a bachelor of science degree in biology. Shea was also a dean's list student and a member of the Outing Club and Campus Association, recreation and service organizations respectively.

He is a graduate of Andover High.



Paul Murphy

Swim Program

The Massachusetts Easter Seal Society is again offering an eight-week swim program at Phillips Academy for preschool children starting Wednesday, Oct. 5, from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. The program gives disabled swimmers the chance to move freely from the restraints of braces and wheelchairs.

All Easter Seal swim programs are free of charge and each certified water safety instructor is assisted by a staff of volunteers.

Easter Seal is also recruiting new additions for its volunteer swim program staff.

For further information, contact Christine Lucey of the Massachusetts Easter Seal Society, 5 Ballard Way, Lawrence.

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AT&T's giving included more than $60 million in grants awarded by the company-sponsored AT&T Foundation. Nearly half the total went to educational institutions and organizations. Seven institutions in Massachusetts received $1.4 million last year from the AT&T Foundation.

The AT&T cash grants enhanced five areas: science and engineering, minority advancement, liberal arts education and capital development grants, employee matching gifts, in which AT&T matched employee contributions of $25 or more to individual colleges. The latter amounted to $5.5 million to more than 1,200 institutions during the last two years.

During that same period, more than 160 institutions received equipment grants of AT&T computers, data management systems and communications equipment used in a variety of projects, ranging from cancer research to on-campus automation.

AT&T company-wide support in 1986-87 also included a combination of volunteer work by employees nationwide and $12.7 million in local contributions for a variety of activities, ranging from community theater to a "visiting professor" program for black colleges.

The AT&T Foundation has distributed some $100 million in grants since 1984. With assets of more than $150 million, the philanthropic organization is among the country's largest endowed corporate foundations.

The man with the most Olympic gold medals for speed skating is American Eric Heiden who got all five of his at Lake Placid in 1980.

Summer Movie

Pete's Dragon, the tale of a runaway orphan and his potbellied dragon friend, Elliott, will be shown in the Park Monday at dusk. Pete and Eliott find adventure as they set out to make their home in the village of Passamaquoddy.

Pete's Dragon is the last movie in this year's Department of Community Services' family movie program.

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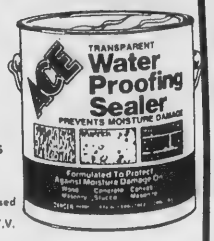

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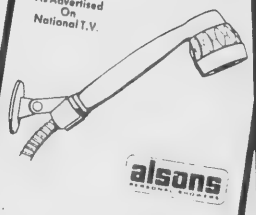

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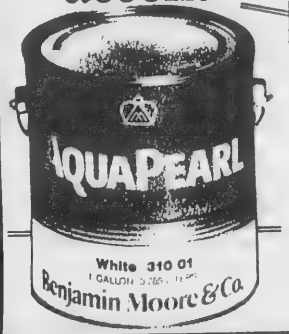

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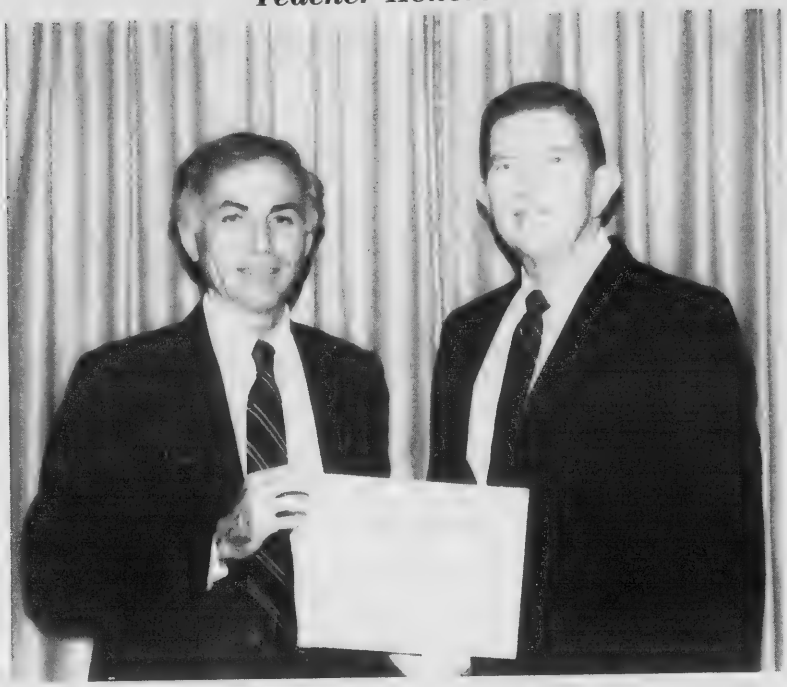

District C Superintendent Charles H. Gibbons, Jr. presents a certificate to science teacher Joseph D. McCloskey for his 30 years of service to the Wilson Middle School in Boston. McCloskey is a resident of Andover. McCloskey participated in a year-long staff recognition program sponsored by the superintendent's office. This program received the National School Public Relations Association's Golden Achievement Award.

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Boston Gallery Opens Season

The Howard Yezerski Gallery will hold the opening show of the gallery's first season in Boston. The inaugural exhibition will feature two one-person shows, *Paul Shakespear: New Paintings* and *John O'Reilly: Polaroid Collages*.

Shakespear's work is strongly linked to the tradition of American painting, by both the organic and iconographic concerns of nature and the painterly concerns of abstraction. His work embellishes upon key symbols and representative shapes, alluding to the human body, to small and large organisms, to landscape and to "in-scape" by capitalizing on the emotive potential of the paint itself.

Shakespear is a highly skilled craftsman. His paintings show the beauty of carefully worked surfaces, undergoing many layers of preparation before the actual image is complete. The result is a luminous surface which changes under various lighting and atmospheric conditions, thus underscoring even further the link between his work and the environment.

Shakespear often exploits the potential of "found objects" by incorporating bits and pieces of lead, copper and other metals into his work. With the addition of the metals the ambiguous nature of the shapes and content, which allows for such diversified interpretation, is pushed to its fullest. The fragments retain their metallurgical qualities, yet simultaneously lend their distinct properties to the painted surface, creating for the whole an aura of mystery, synthesis and atmosphere.

O'Reilly's medium is photographic collage. From an array of polaroid shots, O'Reilly pieces together a new order of time and space in which his constant dialogue with history raises many questions. He draws upon the entire history of art as a base, appropriating images by artists such as Michaelangelo, Picass and Ingres, to be cleverly manipulated for expressive purposes. He also includes such diversified objects as building blocks, light bulbs, ladders and paper clips. Each tme significantly increases meaning in the collage, either by further creating or distorting the viewers perception of space, or in the iconographic connotations it carries to the composition.

O'Reilly seeks to break the barrier between image and viewer. His self-portrait is a tool he constantly employs, masking himself mentally while exposing himself physically. He may appear in a sacrificial pose or as a reflection stolen from Caravaggio. His self-portrait image may break through the frame of an old masterpiece, splintering glass, fragmenting objects and shattering ideas of good and bad, normal and abnormal.

Paul Shakespear: New Paintings and *John O'Reilly: Polaroid Collages* will be on exhibition Sept. 10 through Oct. 12. There will be a reception for the artists on Saturday, Sept. 10, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The Howard Yezerski Gallery is located at 186 South St., Gallery hours are Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Theater Workshop

Lawrence Heritage State Park is one of three sites chosen to be a recipient of grant monies awarded to the Boston University School of Education from the United States Department of Education to create recreational programs promoting the integration of people with disabilities. An integrative theater workshop is one of the programs sponsored by this grant.

The workshop will be loosely modeled after Theater Unlimited of San Francisco. The drama process is emphasized more than the product.

The eight-week workshop will start in October with participants meeting twice a week. The 12-member group will be composed half of developmentally disabled and half of abled participants.

Acid Rain

According to a study, acid rain is a major cause of loss of sheen on an automobile's finish in New England.

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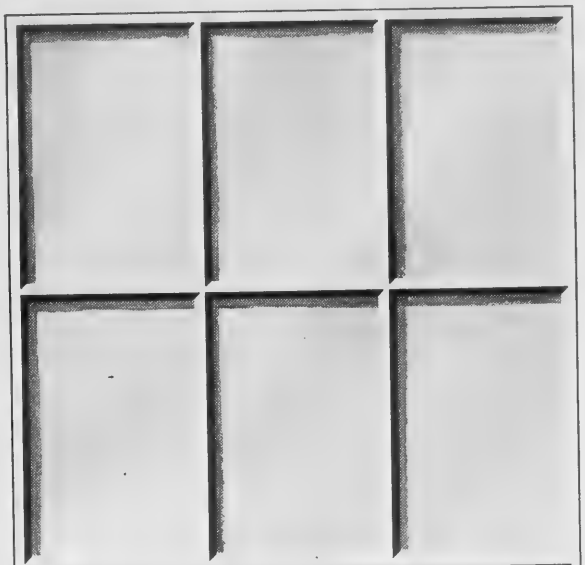
That something is generally rain or snow. While precipitation cleans, the air, it also deposits these acids on the ground.



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Members of the Polynesian Dancearts Company will perform at the Peabody Museum of Salem family concert Sept. 18 at 3 p.m. in the museum's East India Marine Hall.

Polynesian Dancers Bring Art To Salem

The Polynesian Dancearts Company will hula and chant at the Peabody Museum of Salem family concert on Sunday, Sept. 18, at 3 p.m. in the mudeum's East India Marine Hall.

The program will include ancient hulas and chants, dances with hula implements and graceful hulas performed to Hawaiian songs. A commentary will be provided with English translations of Hawaiian songs and poetry used in the dances. The hulas express stories from the myths and folklore of ancient Hawaii while the modern hulas represent the Hawaiian love of nature. Selections from Tahitian and other Polynesian dance forms will complement the program.

There will be no charge above museum admission.

The Peabody Museum of Salem is located at East India Square, Liberty and Essex streets. Hours are Monday to Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Thursdays until 9 .m. and Sunday from 12 noon to 5 p.m. A general tour is held daily at 1 p.m.

Water Jogging

The Greater Lawrence YWCA will introduce water jogging as a new program this September. It will be offered daily at 7:30 a,m. and 6:30 p.m.

The activity consists of walking through the water in a heel-toe manner, using the hands and arms to pull. A constant vigorous 30-minute water jogging session is equivalent to a four-mile run. Participants may work at their own pace according to their capabilities and still receive a beneficial workout.

Student Loans

Middlesex Community College is offering the Family Education Loan Program through the Massachusetts Education Loan Authority.

The program allows students to borrow from $1,500 up to the total cost of tuition and expenses—room, board, books and transportation.

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Merrimack Names New Administrators

The Rev. John E. Deegan, O.S.A., president of Merrimack College, has announced administrative appointments for the coming school year.

New administrators are: Director of Annual giving, Kerry Annaloro of North Andover; Admissions Counselor, John Chamberlain, IV of Danvers; Cooperative Education Placement Service Coordinator, Elizabeth Chisholm of Quincy; Public Relations Director, B. Casey Coburn of Andover; Assistant Director of Resident Life, Glenn A. Cochran of North Andover; Admissions Counselor, Eileen Dougherty of North Andover; Administrative Pprogramming Analyst, Alice Fisher of Methuen; Acting Associate Dean for Arts and Sciences, Marcel H. Gregoire of North Andover; Campus Ministry Director, Joseph T. Kelley of Lawrence; Campus Minister, Brian Lowery, O.S.A. of North Andover; Assistant Dean of Admissions, Susan Murphy of Londonderry, N.H.; Director of Intramurals, Peter Paladino of Nashua, N.H.; Acting Dean of Admissions and Financial Aid, Mary Louise Retelle of Lawrence; Assistant to the Associate Dean for Arts and Sciences, David H. Walsh of Lexington; and Director of Allied Health, Marcia Walsh of Westford.

Annaloro was assistant director of annual giving at Boston College for three years before joining Merrimack's institutional advancement staff. Prior to that she directed marketing for clients of Eastern Exclusives advertising agency in Boston. Annaloro also worked in the advertising agencies of Ingalls Associates in Boston and Dancer Fitzgerald Sample in New York where she was assistant traffic manager and broadcast supervisor, respectively. She received a bachelor of arts degree cum laude from Boston College.

Coburn, a Lawrence native, was public relations director and assistant to the president at Bradford College in Haverhill before joining the Merrimack

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McGovern

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economic development projects as the building of Museum Square and the relocation of Emerson College in Lawrence, as well as attempting to secure adequate and affordable housing for all individuals. McGovern pushed for passage of legislation establishing the Merrimack Valley Housing Court and has worked to improve the state's judicial system, sponsoring bills to upgrade courthouses and increase the number of judges in order to fight crime more effectively.

McGovern sponsored informative seminars on an ongoing basis for the elderly residents of her district and has held regular office hours in each of the four communities so that residents may air any problems and opinions.

"I look forward to the challenge of continuing to represent the views of my constitutents in the state Senate as well as addressing those issues which face all of us in the coming years, including increased environmental cleanup, long-term and catastrosphic illness health care coverage for all citizens and the economic well-being of our communities," she said.

McGovern, a lifelong resident of Lawrence, lives at 74 Saunders St., Lawrence. She is an attorney whose background includes administering federal law enforcement grant funds as the director of the Committee on Criminal Justice for the Commonwealth.

She has received numerous awards over the years for her service as a state senator and as chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means, including "Legislator of the Year" from the Massachusetts Bar Association

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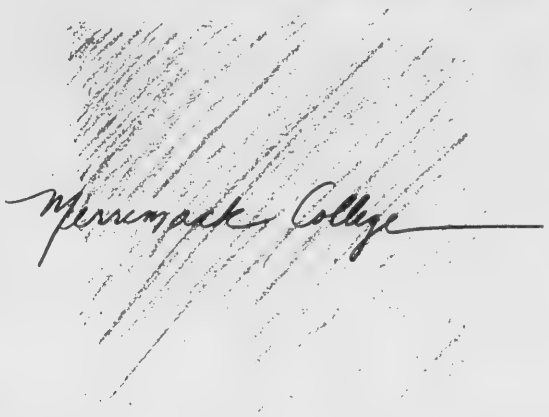

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Slovin-Scher

Susan Lynn Scher, daughter of Louis and Sandy Scher of New City, N.Y., and Paul Jeffrey Slovin, son of Melvin and Harriet Slovin of Hemlock Road, were married June 19, 1988, at Singers in Spring Valley, N.Y. Rabbi Fass of New City performed the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride was attended by Abby Scharf of New City as maid of honor. Her bridesmaids were Marcy Slovin of Andover, Susan Slovin of East Brunswick, N.J., Sue Wax of Milford, Conn., Caryn Rutman of Plainview, N.Y., Jo Bonnie Kaplan of Needham and Luba Kanor of West Nyack, N.Y. Kara Slovin of East Brunswick served as flower girl.

Bruce Slovin of Andover and Larry Slovin of East Brunswick were best men. Larry Scher of Milford, Steven Druth of Andover, Alan Solomon of Swampscott, Jay Bovarnick of Brookline and Lewis Cohn of Weston were ushers.

The bride wore a white traditional Bianchi gown with a long train. The gown's yoke, long sleeves and bottom were adorned with lace. She wore a crown of lace, silk flowers and pearls and carried a bouquet of white lilacs.

Following a reception at Singers, the couple took a wedding tip to Aruba.

The bride graduated from Clarkstown High School and the University of Massachusetts Business School in Amherst. She is a staff accountant at Hill, Holliday, Connors, Cosmopulos Inc. Advertising in Boston.

The groom graduated from Andover High School and UMass, where he majored in economics. He is vice president of Fabrictown in Reading.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Slovin

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The evening is for adults only.

Middlesex Offers Class On Wedding Planning

Middlesex Community College in Burlington is offering a one-day class called "Planning a More Perfect Wedding" on Saturday, Sept. 17, from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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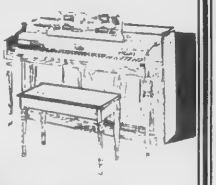

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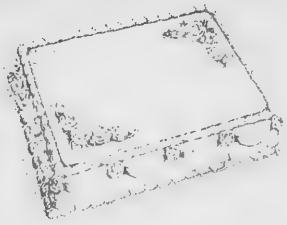

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Appleby-Eldred

Paula Marie Eldred, daughter of Richard and Shirley Eldred of 50 Lupine Road, was married to Thomas Arthur Appleby, son of Richard and Margaret Appleby of Camden, Maine, July 9 at Ballard Vale United Methodist Church. The Rev. Gary Cornell performed the ceremony.

The bride's sister, LeeAnne McKew of Ramstein Air Force Base, West Germany, formerly of Andover, was matron of honor. The bride's nieces, Kerri Anne and Heather Lee McKew of Ramstein Air Force Base, were ring girl and flower girl, respectively.

Nicholas Hrinkvich of San Francisco, Calif., was best man. Richard Appleby, Jr. and Geoffrey Appleby and Timothy Appleby, the groom's brothers, and Gerard McKew were ushers.

Soloist Shirley Brennan and organist Jim Sayers created romantic melodies and the groom's sisters, Beth and Holly, read scripture verses to convey the vows and commitment of the marriage ceremony.

The bride wore a gown with layers of taffeta and lace with pearls and sequins extending into a heart-shaped chapel length train. She carried her grandmother's prayer book adorned with lace, a cimbidium orchid and cascading stephanotis. Her headpiece was made of fresh baby's breath and stephanotis.

Following a reception at Diburro's in Bradford, the couple took a wedding trip to Montreal, Canada.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Lowell and is pursuing a master's degree in elementary education at ULowell.

The bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Maine at Orono and attended Rutgers University. He is an accountant at Craig Systems in Amesbury.

The couple lives in Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Appleby

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For applications or information, contact the school, 180 Main St., North Andover.

Elizabeth A. Griffin

Fall Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. James. E. Griffin of Worcester announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth, to G. David Flanagan, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. David Flanagan of 12 West Knoll Road.

Ms. Griffin, a Watertown resident, graduated from Notre Dame Academy and College of the Holy Cross. She is a certified public accountant at the James E. Griffin Staff, CPAs.

Mr. Flanagan graduated from Phillips Academy and Harvard College. He is marketing director at New Care Medical Inc.

An October wedding is planned.

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Miller Named Portland's Organist

Christ Church organist Earl Miller was named municipal organist for Portland, Maine.

The city has maintained the civic post for over 60 years. It is one of the few such jobs remaining in the country, as well as the oldest and most prestigious. After the previous municipal organist, Gerald McGee, resigned, Miller was invited to apply for the job. Over 50 applicants from the entire United States also applied; four finalists were selected. Miller played for a group of judges in an open competition and was notified that he had won.

The majority of the time during fall, winter and spring is spent on desk work, so he will not be leaving Christ Church. During the summer he will be in charge of what is now the oldest on-going public organ concert series in the country. One of the highlights of the position is that he will preside over the City Hall organ, an instrument considerably larger than that of the Methuen Music Hall.

On the local scene Miller is involved in overseeing the installation of a pipe organ in the restored Old Town Hall. When completed, it will join Portland in being one of the few communities in the country with a civic organ.

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WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Prayer Service.

Bible Chapels

Andover Bible Chapel
266 Lowell St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9:00 a.m. Worship Meeting; 10 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Education Classes; 11:30 a.m. Family Bible Hour.
WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting; Children's Dial-A-Story 475-9194.

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Rehobath Fellowship Center
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FRIDAY: Choir rehearsal.

The New England Bible Church
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Andover, Mass.
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SUNDAY: Morning Worship 9 a.m.; Sunday School 10:30 a.m.; Evening Worship 6 p.m.
WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer.

Fellowship Bible Church
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SUNDAY: 7:35 a.m. Fellowship Time, WCCM; 8:30 & 11 a.m. Morning Worship; 9:45 a.m. Sunday School; 6 p.m. Evening Worship.
WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting.

Catholic

St. Augustine's Church
Rev. Arthur Johnson, O.S.A., Pastor
43 Essex St., Andover
SATURDAY: Mass 4:30 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 8, 9:30, 11 a.m, 12:30 p.m., 5:30 p.m.
Holy Day Masses: See Bulletin.
First Friday Mass: 10:30 a.m.
Reconciliation: Saturday, 11 a.m.-12 noon.

St. Robert Bellarmine Church
Rev. Frederick J. Collins, Pastor
Haggetts Pond Road, Andover
SATURDAY: Masses 5:00 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses: 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.

St. Joseph's Church
High St., Ballardvale
SUNDAY: Masses 10:00 a.m.

St. Michael's Church
Rev. Joseph Svirskas, Pastor
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SATURDAY: Masses at 4:30 and 6:30 p.m.
SUNDAY: Masses at 7:30, 9, 10:30 a.m. and 12 Noon.
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Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist
278 No. Main St., Andover
SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Church Services; Sunday School; Nursery Available.
WEDNESDAY: 8 p.m. Testimony Meeting.

Presbyterian

First Presbyterian Church
Broadway, Haverhill
Exit 50 off 495
Rev. Donald Wick, Pastor
SUNDAY: Services 11 a.m.

Congregational

Free Christian Church
Rev. Dr. Jack L. Daniel, Jr. Pastor
Rev. Neil D. Olcott, Associate Pastor
31 Elm St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Worship Service. Crib Room.
MONDAY: 8 p.m. "Homecoming" Support Group.
WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Women's Evening Fellowship.

Episcopal

Christ Church
The Rev. James A. Diamond, Rector
The Rev. Andrew C. Hamersley, Curate
Rev. Donald R. Woodward Assistant Minister
25 Central St., Andover
SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Holy Communion.
TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Al-Anon.
WEDNESDAY: 7 a.m. Holy Communion and Healing; 10:30 a.m. A.A.; 5:30 p.m. Overeaters Anon; 8 p.m. Al-Anon Step.
FRIDAY: 5:30 p.m. Overeaters Anon.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Rev. Alexander S. Daley, Rector
390 Main St., North Andover
SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 10 a.m. First and Third Sundays, Holy Communion and sermon. Other Sundays Morning Prayer and sermon. Church School all Sundays.
THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Holy Communion.

Jewish

Temple Emanuel
7 Haggetts Pond Rd.
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Rabbi Harry A. Roth, D.D.
Cantor Donn R. Rosenweig
FRIDAY: 8:15 p.m. Sabbath Service.
SATURDAY: 9 a.m. Chapel Service; 10:30 a.m. Sanctuary - Bar/Bat Mitzvah Service.
SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Chapel Service.

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SUNDAY: 9 a.m. and sundown.

Temple Emanuel
Of Merrimack Valley
101 W. Forest Street
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Rabbi: Everett Gendler
FRIDAY: 8 p.m. Evening Service.
SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Sunday School; 10 a.m. Morning Adult Coffee.

Lutheran

Faith Lutheran Church
Paul Lutz, Vice Pastor
360 So. Main St., Andover
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion Service, Nursery care provided.

Unitarian

Unitarian-Universalist Church
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Music Director
Ferris Gluck
Religious Education Coordinator
Karen Paterson
Church closes for the summer months. Worship services and church school resume at Homecoming Worship Service Sunday, Sept. 11.

United Church of Christ

Trinitarian Congregational Church
Rev. Herbert J. Schumm
72 Elm St., North Andover
SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Worship Service, Church School.

West Parish Church
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Rev. Joseph LaDu Senior Minister
SUNDAY: Tenth Sunday After

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South Church
(United Church of Christ)
Rev. Dr. Raymond F. Pendleton,
Interim Senior Pastor
Norman J. Townsend
Minister of Youth
& Christian Education
41 Central St., Andover
SUNDAY: Summer Worship. 9:30 a.m. Worship, followed by punch on the lawn. All are welcome. Infant/Toddler care during service.

United Methodist

Ballard Vale United Church
(United Methodist and United Church of Christ)
Rev. Susan Morrison
Pastor
23 Clark Road, Andover

First United Methodist Church
57 Peters Street
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North Andover, Mass.
James G. Todd, Pastor
SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church School; 11 a.m. Worship.

The North Boston Korean United Methodist Church
244 Lowell Street
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Rev. Sung Kim, Pastor
SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Bilingual Worship (Korean & English). All racial backgrounds welcome; Special invitation to adopted Korean-Americans and their families; Nursery provided; Sunday School for kindergarten through high school; Coffee and doughnuts for members and visitors following the service.
WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer.
FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Area class meetings for home Bible Study.
SATURDAY: 9 a.m. Korean and English language classes for children and adults.

Christian & Missionary Alliance

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Phillip J. Silvia, Pastor
SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 a.m. Sunday Worship at the North Andover Community Center, 33 Johnson St.

Quakers

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Temple Welcomes New Members

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Bishop Candidates Visit Christ Church

The five candidates for suffragan bishop will be coming to Christ Church on Thursday evening, Sept. 8, to meet and speak with the delegates to the Diocesan Convention who will vote for a new suffragan bishop for the diocese on Saturday, Sept. 24.

While the meeting is primarily for the delegates to the Diocesan Convention, members of Christ Church are welcome to listen to their presentations.

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staff. Prior to that she was media relations director at Boston University Medical Center and assistant public relations director at BU's main campus. Before entering the public relations field, she was a reporter for The Lawrence Eagle-Tribune and the Boston Globe. Coburn received her graduate and undergraduate degrees from BU.

Cochran had been assistant dean of students for residence life at St. Bonaventure University in New York and prior to that was a senior technician at Health Trax International Inc. He received a master bachelor of arts from St. Bonaventure and a bachelor of science from Westfield State College.

Dougherty has been an elementary school teacher in New Jersey and New York and was a manager of a dental office. She is a graduate of the New York State University College at Buffalo and has been active in community organizations, organizing activities, publicizing events and developing fund-raisers.

Gregoire, chairman of Merrimack's biology department, has taught at the college since 1974. He received a master's degree from Colorado State University at Fort Collins and a bachelor's degree from Merrimack. He taught biology and chemistry for the Peace Corps in the Philippines.

Lowry received a doctorate from Gregorian University in Rome and a bachelor of arts from Villanova. From 1979 until assuming his new position at Merrimack, he was prior of the Augustinian International Community in Rome. Prior to that he had been director of formation at the Augustinian College (also called the House of Studies) in Washington, D.C. Lowery had served as professor of religious studies at Merrimack from 1972 to 1974.

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Regionals

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evaporate in the bottom of the fifth before Ol' Reliable Rick Saggese blasted a game-winning grandslam homerun in the ninth to keep the dream alive.

And, as they have done for the past 14 games, coaches Jim Arnold, Red Harris and John Murphy continued to make all the right moves.

There was a wild four-hour bus ride to Williamsport last Saturday night, with a caravan of parents' cars trailing, and perhaps this Saturday evening the town will be tuned in to Andover vs. Taiwan on "Wide World of Sports."

Andover National, 13-7

Consecutive five-run outbursts in the fourth and fifth innings broke Andover's tourney opener apart, setting the stage for Matt Wolcott's triumphant mound debut.

East Woonsocket had used 11 Toby Guzowski walks to trim a five-run deficit to 8-7 in the fifth, but Wolcott came on to whiff Rhode Island's best hitter (Lionel Parenteau) and then blank that previously-undefeated (11-0) club the rest of the way.

Andover National, 14-8

Aston-Middletown wilted in the heat of a 12-run Andover National second, an explosion that

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Gerald C. Duchesne

Gerald C. Duchesne, 72, of McKenney Circle died Saturday, August 20, 1988, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Duchesne was a fiscal officer at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Jamaica Plain before his retirement.

Born in Lawrence, he was an army veteran of World War II, having served as a Master Sergeant. Mr. Duchesne attended Sacred Heart Church.

Members of his family include his wife, Fernande (Audy) Duchesne; a daughter, Linda M. Scherig of Salem, N.H.; brothers, Thomas of Lawrence, Joseph of New Orleans, La., and Normand of Lawrence; sisters, Claire Freeman of Texas and Rose Marie Duchesne of Lawrence; his stepmother, Juliette Duchesne of Lawrence; and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass was celebrated Tuesday morning in Sacred Heart Cemetery, Andover.

Memorial contributions may be made to Sacred Heart Church Elevator Fund, 321 South Broadway, Lawrence.

Francis Comparone

Francis A. Comparone, 60, of Raymond, N.H., died Aug. 18, 1988, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Comparone was a federal quality control inspector at Raytheon Co. in Andover until his retirement.

Born in Lawrence, he lived there until moving to Raymond four years ago. Mr. Comparone was a 1945 graduate of Central Catholic High School. He attended Merrimack College.

He was a Navy veteran of World War II and a member of the Army Reserve 321st Field Artillery, stationed in Lawrence for more than 30 years.

Mr. Comparone attended St. Raymond Church in Raymond and St. Patrick Church in Lawrence. He was a member of Lawrence Lodge of Elks No. 65 and the Appalachian Club.

Members of his family include his wife, Catherine R. (Hayes) Comparone; daughters, Gayle Pomerleau, Susan P. Comparone and Lisa A. Gamache, all of Lawrnece; sons, Steven J. and David J. Comparone, both of Lawrence; a sister, Dolores Schlais of Onterio, Caif.; and grandchildren, Paul J. and Kara R. Pomerleau and Nicholas D. Gamache, all of Lawrence.

A Mass was held Monday at St. Patrick Church. Cremation took place at Linwood Crematory in Haverhill.

Joan H. Arabian

Joan H. (Glidden) Arabian, 49, of 177 Elm St. died Aug. 18, 1988, of cancer at Lahey Clinic in Burlington.

Mrs. Arabian was a director of patient services at Lahey.

She was a graduate of Abbott Academy and Wheaton College. Mrs. Arabian was a member of Free Christian Church and its choir.

Members of her family include her husband, Ralph H. Arabian; sons, Harold M. and Ralph M. Arabian, both of Plaistow, N.H.; her mother, Elizabeth K. Glidden of Andover; a sister, Helen G. Wesley of Plymouth; and nieces, Pamela and Jennifer Wesley, both of Plymouth.

Funeral services were held Monday at Free Christian Church. Burial was in West Parish Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Lahey Clinic Foundation, Burlington, Mass., or to Free Christian Church, 31 Elm St., Andover, Mass.

Joseph Chabala

Joseph Chabala, 256 North Main St., died Aug. 21 at Veterans Medical Center in Manchester, N.H.

Mr. Chabala was a retired Coast Guard veteran. He had worked as a weight technician for the state of Virginia before his retirement in 1987.

He was born in Linhart, Pa., and he had lived in Andover for one year.

Members of his family include his wife, Barbara (Francis) Chabala; stepsons, John Marks of Georgia, David Marks of Norton and Lawrence Marks of Wrentham; stepdaughters, Annmarie Garnett of Virginia, Kathleen Fisher of Dorchester and Jane Manning of Andover; a brother, Stephan of Pennsylvania; sisters, Mary Hardison of California and Ann Orange of Pennsylvania; and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. today in St. Augustine Chruch. Burial will be in St. Augustine Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of one's choice.

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Workshop

A workshop for displaced homemakers will be offered at the Lawrence YWCA, 38 Lawrence St., for six weeks, beginning Tuesday, Sept. 20, from 10 a.m. to noon, and consist of stress management, financial management, time management and job-seeking skills.

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Mary B. Cavallaro

Mary B. Cavallaro, 63, of Lawrence died Aug. 17, 1988, at the home of her sister, Josephine Freni of Lawrence.

Mrs. Cavallaro retired in June from the accounting department of AT&T Technologies in North Andover after 25 years of service.

She was born in Lawrence and was a graduate of Lawrence High School. Mrs. Cavallaro lived in Andover for 20 years before moving back to Lawrence.

Besides her sister Mrs. Freni, members of her family include sisters, Carmela Bellia of Andover, Lucy Motta of Mannassas, Va., and Prudence Candela of Lawrence; and several nieces and nephews.

A Mass was held Saturday at Holy Rosary Church. Burial was in St. Mary Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice, 1 Union St., Andover, Mass.

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Philip S. DeFusco

Philip S. DeFusco, 68, of North Andover, died Tuesday, Aug. 23, 1988, at Lahey Clinic, Burlington.

Family members include his wife, Rose Marie (D'Urso) DeFusco; sons, Philip M. of Haverhill, Stephen of Methuen and John of Bradford; daughters, Adeline McMahon of Bloomington, Ind., and Emily Rose Perkins of Andover; a sister, Christine Laudani of Methuen; six grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated tomorrow morning at 11 a.m. in Holy Rosary Church.

Eleanor M. Kosmo

Eleanor G. (Gorrie) Kosmo, 65, of Sylvania, Ohio, died Saturday, August 20, 1988 at the Toledo Hospital in Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. Kosmo was born in Andover.

Members of her family include her husband, Edward Kosmo; a daughter, Linda Blackerby of Westland, Mich.; a son, David of Toledo; a brother, Evertt Gorrie of Andover; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday in Sylvania United Church of Christ. Burial was in Toledo Memorial Park Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Eleanor M. Kosmo Memorial Fund, Sylvania United Church of Christ, 7240 Erie St., Sylvania, Ohio.

Edmond J. Sullivan

Edmond J. Sullivan, 75, of Methuen died Aug. 18, 1988, at Shaughnessy Hospital in Salem, Mass.

Mr. Sullivan was a carpenter for many years at Davis and Furber Machine Co. in North Andover before his retirement. He had previously worked at the Portsmouth Navy Yard.

Born in Lawrence, he attended Methuen schools.

Mr. Sullivan was a longtime attendant of St. Laurence O'Toole Church in Lawrence. He was an avid bowler.

Members of his family include a brother, John D. Sullivan of Methuen; a sister, Claire Dorothy L'Italien of Andover; and several nieces and nephews and grandnieces and grandnephews.

A Mass was held Monday at St. Lucy Church. Burial was in Immaculate Conception Cemetery.

For Those Of Us Who Are Older

By Dorothy M. Winn

Did you know that the Andover Council on Aging has a program that can put emergency assistance at your fingertips? The Andover Lifeguard program is a personal emergency response system which can provide security and peace of mind 24 hours a day. Lifeguard is available to Andover seniors at a cost of $25 for installation and a service fee of $20 per month. Similar programs are available at twice the cost. Unlike other programs in this area, the Andover Lifeguard system is monitored locally. In the event of an emergency, the Andover ambulance is dispatched to respond to your call for help.

The following situation demonstrates an event which could have been avoided had the individual had Lifeguard.

One 84-year-old Andover woman fell in her kitchen one morning and broke her ankle. Unable to get herself up to reach the phone on the kitchen wall, she remained on the floor until her son dropped by to see her at 6:30 p.m. on his way home from work. With a Lifeguard unit this woman could have summoned help on her own and saved many painful hours on the floor.

Families can provide peace of mind for themselves knowing that their elderly parent can summon help when they need it. One woman told me how she wishes her neighbor's family would talk their father into a Lifeguard, simply to provide peace of mind for her. Every time the neighbor hears the elderly man's teapot whistle, she stops what she is doing to be sure he gets to it. The teapot is often her alarm of trouble, as she has responded twice to the unanswered teapot to find that the man had fallen and could not get up on his own.

The Council on Aging will sponsor its second annual charity golf tournament at the Andover Country Club on Monday, Sept. 26. Monies raised will be used to purchase additional Lifeguard units and support the Andover Adult Day Care Program. Sponsorship opportunities exist for businesses, community groups and individuals who would like to lend their support to this worthy cause.

The senior center will be closed for activity the week of Aug. 29 to allow for a thorough cleaning. If you need to do business with the Council on Aging, call 470-3830. Should you ever have trouble reaching the council or Senior Center, call the Town Hall switchboard at 470-3800 to be connected.

Samuel Seccareccio

Samuel J. Seccareccio, 72, of Wildrose Drive, founder of Gentry's Men's Store, Lawrence, died Tuesday, Aug. 23, 1988, at Bon Secours Hospital.

A funeral Mass will be celebrated Monday, Aug. 29, at 11:30 a.m. in the Merrimack College Chapel of Christ the Teacher. Burial will follow in Immaculate Conception Cemetery.

Friends may call Saturday from 7-9 p.m. and Sunday from 2-4 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at the Pollard Funeral Home, 233 Lawrence St., Methuen.

John Herbin

John Herbin, 89, of Lawrence, died Tuesday, Aug. 23, 1988, at the MI Restorative and Health Care Facility.

He was born in Lynn, and ived in Andover and Methuen most of his life before moving to Lawrence two years ago.

He was the widower of Rose H. (Lee) Herbin, and members of his family include a daughter, Virgina A. Parolisi of Methuen; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

A Mass will be celebrated tomorrow morning at 11 a.m. in St. Lucy Church.

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To all persons interested in **John Lee Grasso** of Andover in said County, a minor.

A petition has been presented in the above-captioned matter praying that **Kathleen M. Grasso** and **Gerald Grasso**, both of Andover in the County of Essex, or some other suitable person be appointed his guardian, with custody.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Salem on or before September 19, 1988.

Witness, Thaddeus Buczko, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Salem, the sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight.

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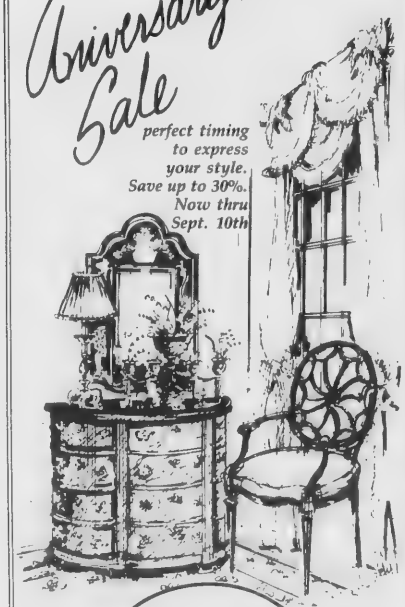

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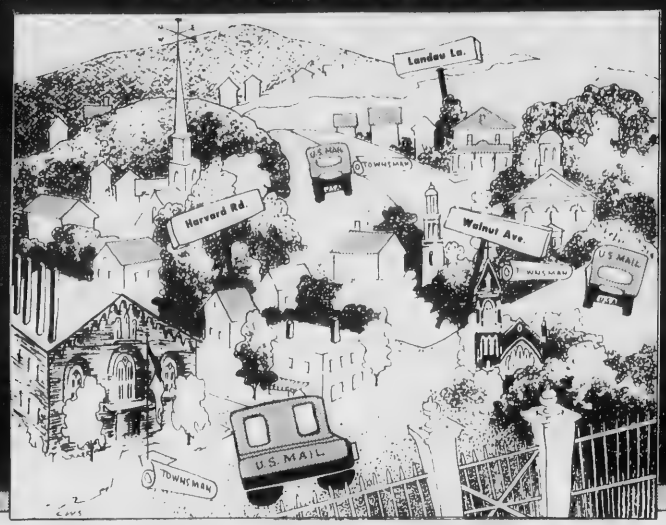

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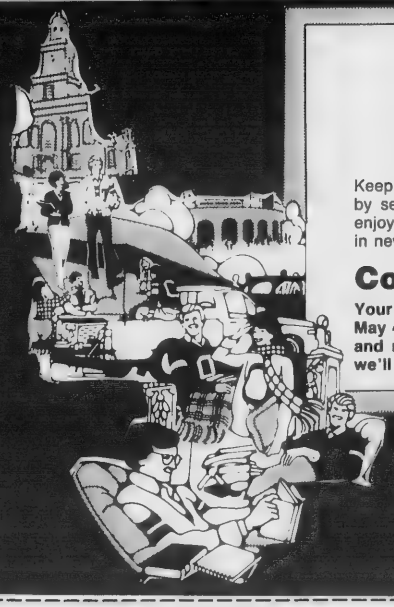

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SECOND FRONT PAGE

Planners Seize Alden Road Bond

Barring Appeal, Town Will Complete Street Work

By Frank Messina

The Planning Board voted unanimously Monday night to seize an expired bond for street work on Alden Road and hand responsibility to complete road construction to the town.

The vote pleased residents of the Sunset Rock Estates subdivision, who are also at odds with the developer, Edmund Hammond, Jr. of Brunswick, Maine, over other improvements they say Hammond is responsible for.

Unless Hammond appeals the board's decision in court, the town will use his $23,707 performance guarantee to finish work on the street drainage system, install yard trees, patch the road surface before final paving and other details that need completion before final approval for a street acceptance can be given at Town Meeting.

Several attempts have been made to reach Hammond since the bond expired in November, 1987, Steve Colyer, town physical planner, told the board. With the exception of one phone call, when Hammond made an unfulfilled promise to address the issue by letter, the developer has not contacted the planning department, Colyer said.

"We have no recourse but to pull the bond," said board member Michael Houghton before calling for a vote, "we're getting no other recourse or satisfaction (from Hammond)." The board voted 4-0, with board member Susan Stott absent, to take over the bond.

The board also heard concerns over the lack of natural screening alongside a driveway in the subdivision that borders several backyards belonging to several Alden Road abuttors.

Residents say Hammond is not interested in building the barrier. One homeowner said he spoke to the developer twice on the issue. "The second time he was very abrupt" and non-committal, said the neighbor.

The screening was required under conditions imposed by the planning board in 1982. The question, said Colyer, is whether Hammond or the property owner who owns the driveway is responsible for the screening.

Someone "is in clear violation of (town) restrictions," said Houghton, telling residents the town would make sure the landscaping is done.

The board said they would seek a legal opinion from Robert Zollner, an attorney for the town, and placed the matter on their Sept. 6 meeting agenda.

School Year Starts With Bang

By Julie M. Barry

This year's school opening will have more pizazz than usual.

Activities have been planned to celebrate opening day and the new grade reorganization of Andover schools.

Starting Sept. 3, there will be signs in downtown Andover and posters in local stores to welcome students and faculty to another school year.

A faculty buffet is scheduled for Sept. 7. Following this, local dignitaries, like Rep. Susan Tucker and William Scanlon, president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce, will gather in the J. Everett Collins Center to formally welcome back Andover faculty members.

"All of this is hype for the new beginning and to get everyone excited about the changes," said Superintendent of Schools Dr. Kenneth Seifert.

The September opening is unique because it marks the opening of a four-year high school and the two middle schools. "It's a new beginning," Seifert said.

The Andover Education Association and central office decided to do something different this year and to get the community involved in the activities that mark the beginning of the school year. "We want to extend a visible welcome to students and faculty," Seifert said.

The new beginning—the 5-3-4 grade structure—was approved by the School Committee last January in response to overcrowding problems at the elementary school level. This organization places students in grades one to five in the elementary schools, six to eight in the middle schools and nine to 12 in the high school.

Preparations have been made to ensure a smooth opening.

Workshops for faculty members have been held throughout the summer—an example is the task forces that met in July to prepare for the middle school openings. One group wrote a student and parent handbook; another focused on staff development.

Information from these workshops will be disseminated to staff members at faculty meetings and in-service days during the school year.

An orientation program for the new students at the high school has also been planned. Incoming ninth- and 10th-graders will start school Sept. 8—one day before the rest of the school—to become familiar with the new school.

Andover's educational program and the opening of the schools is important, according to Seifert. "We are a town that's educationally oriented and it's a big event," he said.

And he says the celebration will probably become a tradition.

Planners Back Burtt Road Extension Plan

Planning Board business is often confusing, but seldom does an issue have the board still shrugging their shoulders 25 minutes into discussion as a plan to extend Burtt Road did Monday night.

Led by traffic and safety concerns, the town is backing an industrial development project owned by Richard Kelley in order to extend Burtt Road to Ballardvale Street in Wilmington.

But with the proposed road going through protected wetlands, some of which are owned by other parties, the planning department and Kelley's representatives have been treading lightly through zoning bylaws to draw up a viable plan for the road extension.

In essence, the board was asked to approve the placement of the road and a cul-de-sac leading to Kelley's industrial site, which the board eventually approved 4-0, with conditions.

The confusion entered through the planning department/Kelley decision to use a subdivision plan process for the road extension, even though no subdivision is planned in the area. This process is the best way to map a road going through private property, Laura Hill, town planner, told the board, adding afterward that no other method exists in the zoning bylaws.

Also muddying the waters was a lot line waiver request. In a subdivision preliminary plan, lot lines and lot areas must be shown. However, because no subdivision will be built, the board agreed to waive the lot lines until a second preliminary plan is filed by Kelley next month.

Conditions placed on the extension included a requirement that permission to build the road on private property is

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The computer won't be any more out of place than a pencil in Andover classrooms this year.

Townsman photo by Matthew Sapienza

Putting Computers In The Classroom

By Julie M. Barry

Kids going back to school this year will use computers to help them learn everything from French to math.

Their teachers and administrators may also be using the computers to put out newsletters and educational reports.

It's all part of the second phase of the schools' computer plan that will be implemented this fall.

Computer education director Kenneth Kwajewski reviewed last year's accomplishments and next year's goals at the School Committee meeting Tuesday night.

The town of Andover alloted $1.5 million in 1987 to introduce technology to the schools and into the curriculum, Kwajewski said, and last year marked the first year of the plan. The entire plan includes three phases.

"It has been an effort of educators to take technology and put it into the classroom," he said.

Phase one of the computer plan affected a wide range of students. Kindergarteners participated in computer awareness activities; first-graders received training on the keyboard; third-graders were involved in Logo programming; eighth-graders took an applications course that teaches students how to use the computer for word processing, spreadsheet and data base activities. High school students were offered similar application courses as well as classes in word processing, telecommunications and computer programming.

All of these activities will continue in the second phase of the computer plan.

Computer technology wasn't only geared towards specific classes in computer training, Kwajewski explained.

The technology was also used to improve existing curriculums. In phase one, hardware and software materials were added into science and special education curriculums throughout the school system. This integrated the use of the computer into those classes.

This type of integration will occur in four more areas of study during the second phase, Kwajewski said.

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DCS Kids Make Olympic Effort

Sand Sculpture Takes Honorable Mention

Townsman photos by Matthew Sapienza

Relaxing after a hot day of sun, sand and surf, Jay Alexander kicks back to enjoy a cool drink while at Crane's Beach with his aunt, Peg Alexander, who just happens to head up the DCS here in Andover. Jay and the kids he was with swam and made sand sculptures.

Jeff Irvine and John Sibelle put up the wall of their group's castle, which was one of three the Andover kids practiced on before making the actual contest entry.

Matt Gilmore and Brent Sheehan work on a sand castle at Crane's Beach. The two boys were there with the Department of Community Services and about 50 other Andover kids.

Digging deep, Matt Donahue checks the depth of this hole which he dug on the shore at Crane's Beach. About 25 area towns and cities were at the annual sand castle building contest on the reservation at Crane's.

Here, some Andover kids build up a pile of sand that was eventually transformed into the Olympic torch.

DOWN THE YEARS

100 Years Ago — August 1888

The cricket match between the Lawrences and Andovers was played on the grounds of the former Saturday, and resulted in a win for the Lawrences by seven runs.

President Cleveland asks Congress for power to apply the retaliation act to the shipment of freight in bond.

Chas P. Rea is digging a deep well on the north side of Phillips Academy.

The Fresh Air Fund received a contribution of $40 from the recent Young Peoples' entertainment in Academy Hall.

The new grammar school building is prospering finely, the slate-roofing being half finished and the lower story ready for lathing.

The floral decorations at the Free Church last Sunday are reported as exceptionally fine.

At a meeting of the Trustees of Abbot Academy yesterday, the contract for the erection of the first of the new Academy buildings was awarded to Hardy & Cole. By vote of the Board, this building is to be called Draper Hall.

75 Years Ago — August 1913

Principal Alfred E. Stearns and family arrived in Boston yesterday on the S.S. Arabie, after a year's trip abroad.

George Dannells, the fish dealer, whose home is on Elm Street, found a horse wandering about his place one night this week. The police were notified and it transpired that the animal was the property of P.J. Hannon, who had bought him just the day before he disappeared.

The fire department was called to extinguish a blaze at the rear of what was formerly the Wonderland Theatre. The trouble evidently started in some boxes piled up near the building. The loss was slight.

Catherine Golden of this town appeared before Trial Justice Slone, on Tuesday evening of this week, charged with intoxication and evading the paying of her fare on a trolley coming from Lawrence. She was fined in both instances and paid the fine.

50 Years Ago — August 1938

Local officials seemed inclined to feel this week that nothing would be done on the removal of the street car rails on Main street because of the probable excessive cost to the town of the project.

Thursday afternoon and evening, October 6, has been selected as the date for the "Trip Around the World" Fair which is being arranged by the Woman's Union of the West Chruch.

The summer playground season will come to a close this week, with the annual field days being held tomorrow afternoon and evening at the three playgrounds.

The contest for governor in Massachusetts is usually just a race between two in-town politicians whom Andover residents know little of. This year, however, Andover is in the fight, with County Commissioner Fred Butler of Lowell street as one of the three candidates for the Republican nominatin.

Andover will receive $13,150 from the state highway fund as a result of the Governor's action in signing the thrice-vetoed Republican unemployment bill on Tuesday.

25 Years Ago — August 1963

Austin preparatory school, Reading, will hold registration of new students on Wednesday, Sept. 4. Nine members of the Order of St. Augustine and two lay teachers will comprise the faculty for the first year of operation of the new Catholic institution which will serve several communities in northeastern Massachusetts.

Pomp's Pond swimming beach will be the scene of the annual Little Three meet Saturday. Races will be held for boys and girls. Each of the competing towns, Andover, North Andover and Methuen may enter two contestants in each event.

10 Years Ago — August 1978

Town Manager Jared S.A. Clark confirmed this week that town meeting could be asked to provide some sort of financial aid to John Lyons and John Wragg for legal expenses incurred in the suit brought against them by former Asst. Supt.Edward Regan.

Shawsheen residents, plagued by rusty water for many months now, may get new water mains after all. Town Manager Jared S.A. Clark said this week that there had been a recurrence of the bad water conditions on at least two occasions since the town thought the problem was solved, and so he was planning to present an article in October Town Meeting to replace them.

Backed by members of his Computer Advisory Committee, Chairman George Orfanedes Tuesday night unveiled a plan for dual computers for the town and schools at a cost of some $500,000 over the next five years.

Computers

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• Language arts: the goal is to coordinate the use of word processing programs throughout the system.

• Mathematics: special courses may be developed that integrate mathematics and technology.

• Social studies: students will use data base services, via telecommunications, for research.

• Foreign language: telecommunication services may be used for students to communicate with other students around the world.

"We'll introduce technology in those areas to upgrade the curriculum," Kwajewski said.

There are several other goals outlined in the second phase of the computer plan, such as adding desktop publishing stations at the central office and high school to create reports, newsletters and other educational materials and the addition of new computer courses throughout the school system.

The success of the computer plan is largely due to the training teachers received and their willingness to participate in courses, Kwajewski said.

Computer-related in-service courses were popular among teachers; a total of 166 participated in the 12 workshops offered during the 1987-'88 school year. "Our teachers have received a great deal of training," said Lois Haslam, assistant superintendent for curriculum and instruction.

And Kwajewski said about 60 faculty members were trained during the summer to implement the second phase of the computer plan.

Several courses were offered to teachers such as Wordprocessing, Creating Educational Environment with Logo and Appleworks Data Base and Spreadsheet.

To date, about $957,000 has been spent implementing the computer plan. The bulk of the money was spent on hardware. Software, maintenance, supplies, training and salary was also part of the budget.

"It's a large investment on the part of the town," said School Committee chairman Donald Robb. "But we're getting results."

Burtt Road

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granted by the landowners, who include New England Power and the Gillette Co. When a representative from New England Power voiced his objections because of long-range plans to build power lines in the area, the board added another proviso stating the power company's concerns must also be met before the project is approved.

Just A Thought

By Bob Finneran

WILLIAMSPORT, PENN.—Although Andover National manager Jim Arnold had plenty on his mind besides the Little League World Series, he was more than enthusiastic in talking about the kids on his team.

They were supposed to play Tuesday night, but they weren't really disappointed that rain delayed the game against Spring, Texas, until Wednesday morning.

Coach Red Harris said the kids are having the time of their lives. The Andover parents are allowed to visit their sons for an hour each night. In the meantime, the youngsters are just having fun meeting people from such places as Saudi Arabia, Taiwan, Canada, Oklahoma, Texas; enjoying themselves in their cabins; dining together in the dining hall; swimming; playing ping pong; and attending an ice cream party Tuesday night.

Arnold noted that the crush has really been something from the media, but the younsters have been taking it all in stride. "I think they don't even realize that the cameras are there anymore," Arnold said.

The team was out early Tuesday for the opening game of the series when Taiwan met Panama. Taiwan is, of course, the perennial favorite; but Panama had them on the ropes right until the last inning, when they finally fell 5-4.

This is the first Massachusetts team to make it to the World Series since Winchester did in 1956, and it's the first time ever for Andover.

The team has had supporters not only from their hometown, but also in the Williamsport area. Stopped for gasoline at a service station, and the attendant asked, 'Who are you with?' When he found out, he gave a hearty approval and said, 'We all want the East to win.'

Everywhere there are glimpses of home. Ron Saloman is one of the series umpires. Saloman comes from Stoneham and was involved in several of the Andover games during the state and regional playoffs.

Williamsport is really with Little League parents, coaches and officials, and rooms are at a premium. As a matter of fact, you can't get a room in Williamsport itself. Network TV people began to arrive on Wednesday, taking up more space in and around the field. By Saturday, game officials anticipate anywhere from 30,000 to 35,000 people for the game. There were 4,500 people on hand Wednesday morning for the game between Andover and Texas.

And while team members themselves were obviously disappointed, they still ought to feel the pride and accomplishment of having gotten this far in the first place.

THE PUBLIC FORUM

Pet Overpopulation Kills

To The Editor Of the TOWNSMAN:

In 1987, the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Methuen animal shelter received over 8,000 animals from Methuen and surrounding communities. So far this year, we have received over 4,000 animals. The months of May and June were very busy with almost 1,400 animals having been surrendered to us. Well over half were puppies and kittens. It is disturbing to remember that in the fall of last year we received close to 900 puppies and kittens and this year will bring yet another onslaught of homeless litters. There will never in our wildest dreams be enough homes for the animals that are already homeless, let alone those that have not been born yet.

Animal shelters in this community have been battling the tragedy of pet overpopulation for years, yet the number of homeless animals only grows. How can we compete when two reproducing cats and their offspring can produce a colony of 18 million in just 10 years time! The problem can not be solved by animal shelters or by the disproportionately few responsible pet owners who have had their pets spayed or neutered.

It would be nice for animal shelters to be able to use their talents and energies for saving some of the sick, injured and abused animals as well as those that have to be responsibly surrendered when circumstance requires, instead of euthanizing thousands due to the amount of animals coming in daily and the resulting competition for homes. We can all work together to wipe out the number one killer of shelter animal—pet overpopulation.

The MSPCA, in cooperation with the Massachusetts Veterinary Medical Association, offers a financial assistance program for pet owners who can not afford standard surgery costs. Through this program, a pet owner can have his pet spayed or neutered for a reduced fee at an MSPCA hospital or at a local participating veterinary clinic.

Anyone who is interested in adopting a pet may also call the Methuen shelter. We are always looking for permanent, loving and responsible homes for our animals.

Roger Lauze
Shelter manager
MSPCA Methuen Animal Shelter

Fighting Fear, Ignorance

To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN:

I recently returned home from vacation and caught up on the local news, including the recent letters in the Public Forum regarding the Town Meeting of June 20. I would now like to share my own experiences of that evening. My intent is not to aggravate an already difficult situation but rather it is to convey to you a distrubing discussion.

Having attended my nephew's induction into the Navy, I arrived late to the meeting. As this was the first town meeting I had attended, I was uncertain what to do. I stood n the rear for awhile; then the moderator directed us all to take a seat. Since there were no seats available nearby, I sat on the stairs in the rear center aisle.

Seated next to me was a woman I had never seen before. She began speaking to me regarding the chaos that had been occurring for the previous two hours. She expressed her dismay at the length of the discussion and identified her desire to vote no on the collaborative school. She further added that had she "known it would take so long she would have gone shopping instead." She proceeded to tell me that she "believed that the ideas of a collaborative school was a Jewish conspiracy to cause trouble." Continuing on, she noted "that her neighborhodd was split between the Jews who favored the school and the non-Jews who were against it." I strongly refuted her belief that the people who were in favor of the collaborative school were all of the Jewish faith.

In an attempt to justify her position against the collaborative school, she shared with me that she "had been a teacher in Lawrence for 10 years, thus she spoke from first-hand experience." She then stated that "people from Lawrence are different. They come to Massachusetts specifically to collect welfare. They don't want to better themselves." She further admonished me that "it would be the ruination of Andover—our cars would be vandalized—our houses would be robbed."

These excerpts give but a flavor of the conversation. After each of her assertions, I indicated that her statements were false. I further pointed out that her

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Future Vision

To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN:

How many catastrophies does the present generation have to cause to stop us from looting our natural resources? The latest air pollution, the Lawrence House of Correction fire. Our ponds, lakes and oceans are polluted daily. Every day we hear of it happening in another area. Shrubs and flowers in our parks are uprooted and damaged. Overpopulated areas ooze raw sewage. Sea and lake life is poisoned and dies. More and more people are installing water purifiers and spring water for drinking and cooking. We were forced to levy a fine against the public picking root and bloom of lady's slippers and mayflowes as they were becoming extinct. As our outskirts are overpopulated with large developments, the deer, foxes and racoons are forced into the open of towns and cities, only to be killed on the roads looking for a habitat.

Why are all these problems now surfacing in our lifestyle? I'll tell you; Ameri-

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Environment

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cans are greedy. You pass an empty lot on Monday, the following Monday you find construction. Large tracts of land are sold to developers. Many of these developments cause water and sewer problems, but we continue on until the next time and the next.

Children born and raised in Andover, after graduating from college or getting married, have to move elsewhere due to the fact Andover apartments are overpriced and they can't afford them.

How many of you recycle in Andover, pick up a paper bag or can on the sidewalk and put it in the nearest trash barrel? Not enough. On Monday, Andover got a clean sweep. Gov. Dukakis came to town. Why can't we be clean all the time and not just for a dignitary?

Now that we need new jails, state hospitals, trash plants and half-way houses, the towns and cities are up in arms if their community is picked for the site of one of the above mentioned. You are now paying for your greed. Towns and cities no longer have large tracts of land on the outskirts, where these facilities can be built. The last generation built on the outskirts. Tewksbury and Danvers are two examples.

I had reason to be in Boxford and Newbury this summer. I noted bikes and cars stopping at the post office, library and market. Bikes were stood up and drivers just removed keys in cars and went about their business. In Andover we have to lock and chain bikes and lock our cars, if only for a few minutes.

May I ask you all a question? What is obnoxious about a field filled with wild flowers, clean drinking water, space for wildlife, apartments for our children they can afford?

For those of you who do not want a state facility in your backyard, I suggest you stop building on the outskirts of your city or town. We are willing our children and grandchilren problems we could have prevented, but chose to close our eyes to them.

Environmentalists, of which I am one, are usually ignored until we reach the present state of over-building, which overpopulates. We have reached that stage.

Barbara W. Calnan
78 Main St.

Town Meeting

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attitude was racist. She further shocked me by saying that she "probably was somewhat racist and she could live with that."

I fully realize that most people against the collaboratibe school are not racist. I do, however, know from my personal experience during the June 20 meeting that at last one resident of Andover was coming from a perspective of fear and ignorance. With this experience behind me, should the collaborative school again come up for Andover residents to consider I would tàke an active role in dispelling ignorance and fear.

Lydia A. Capano
12 Carmel Road

State Park Addition

The 23-acre Brickhouse property, iimmediately opposite the entrance to Maudslay State Park in Newburyport, was acquired and made part of Massachusetts' state park system.

With important frontage on the Artichoke River, a tributary to the Merrimack, preservation of the property was a high priority for public and private groups. Taking the lead on this acquisition was the Trust for Public Land, a national, non-profit land preservation organization.

The trust learned late last year that the Hale family's Brickhouse property was being eyed for private development. The state wanted to acquire the property because of its proximity to the park's entrance, but didn't have the financing available. The Department of Environmental Management approached the trust for assistance. TPL purchaed the property this year and conveyed the property to the state on August 12.

Refrigerator storage time of meat differs by type of meat: 1 or 2 days for chicken and ground beef; 3 to 5 days for steaks, roasts and cold cuts; 5 to 7 days for bacon; 7 to 10 days for cured meats. Fresh fish and shellfish should be used the same day purchased.

In 1892 New York became the first state in the nation to authorize voting machines.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE TRIAL COURT

(Seal) Case No. 128470

To **Paul A. Radina; Emily A. Radina; Jaybee Capital Corp. and Cedar Capital Corp.**, doing business as **Alliance Funding Company; Lee Realty Trust**: and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: **Andover Savings Bank**; claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in **Andover, numbered 41 Hidden Road**, given by Paul A. Radina and Emily C. Radina, to Plaintiff, dated August 2, 1985, recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 2017, Page 71, has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the twenty-sixth day of September 1988, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness, MARILYN M. SULLIVAN, Chief Justice of said Court this ninth day of August 1988.

Charles W. Trombly, Jr.
Recorder
August 25, 1988

ANDOVER CONSERVATION COMMISSION
ANDOVER, MASS.
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT
as Amended
Chapter 131, Section 40, M.G.L.

A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 1 September 1988 at 8:45 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., Andover on the proposed Amended Order of Conditions filed by for a project located at **Mill Dam Estates Subdivision** off Woburn Street. This project consists of a revised septic system plan for Lot 9. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlet Street, Andover.

ROBERT A. PUSTELL,
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ROBERT A. PUSTELL,
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August 25, 1988

Benefit

Vital Image, an Andover-based rock band, will play in a battle of the bands at Lowell Memorial Auditorium, Merrimack Street, Lowell, on Thursday, Aug. 25, at 7 p.m. The concert, sponsored by Brookside Hospital of Nashua, WLLH and the city of Lowell, will benefit the effort of Rock Against Drugs. Admission is free and open to the public, but tickets must be presented for entrance.

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SPORTING LIFE

Blue, Gold Form All-Star Team

By Rick Harrison

The Andover Blue-Gold All-Stars, a combination of top players from the Greater Reading Pony League champion and runner-up teams whose composite record this summer was a sizzling 33-8-1, split a home-and-home series with the Chelmsford Babe Ruth All-Stars and also split a pair of games in the annual Winthrop Babe Ruth Invitational Tournament last week.

The busy four-games-in-five-days schedule opened with a tough 7-5 loss to Chelmsford at Andover High, a six-run outburst by the visitors in the top of the fifth inning clinching the triumph.

Blue-Gold sought and secured its revenge 24 hours later, however, blasting Chelmsford 16-8 in their second game at Varney Field in North Chelmsford.

Andover launched its Winthrop Tournament run with a tough 6-3 setback to perennial state power East Boston, building a 3-0 lead and then watching it disappear in the final three innings.

Blue-Gold remained alive in the double-elimination tourney by ousting Everett the following day, putting together five-run fifth and seventh stanzas to key a 14-4 victory at the Winthrop High field.

Blue-Gold returned to action in the Winthrop Tournament last night, once again battling East Boston in the quarterfinal round.

Andover still had to win four games to capture the title, the semifinals slated tonight and tomorrow night with the championship final on Saturday morning.

Blue-Gold, 16-8

Bill Batchelder went 3-for-4 with two doubles and three RBI to pace the Blue-Gold offense, while strong pitching performances were also turned in by right-handers Bryan Smith, Joe Marinaro and Batchelder.

Brian Novelline, Marinaro and Ryan Legrow contributed two ribbies apiece, and Bob Sheehan had a strong all-around game with 2-for-2, two runs scored, one RBI and a solid defensive game at shortstop.

Andover paraded nine batters to the plate in the top of the first, grabbing a 5-0 lead.

Sheehan opened the game with a sharp single to centerfield, and he promptly stole second base. Batchelder followed with a double, but Sheehan only advanced to third because the ball was almost caught.

Bryan Smith drew a one-out walk to load the bases; Marinaro smacked a two-run single; Jim Landry lashed an RBI single; Mike Daley forced home a run with a bases-loaded walk, and Landry eventually scored on a wild pitch.

Chelmsford came back with five runs in the bottom of the stanza, all unearned as Blue-Gold committed three errors.

After that inning Andover pitchers Sheehan, Smith, Marinaro and Batchelder combined on a two-hitter, Smith producing the only three strikeouts in his three-inning stint.

Blue-Gold broke the 5-5 tie with three runs in the second session. Scott Halecki singled, Bobby Sheehan was hit in the lower back with a pitch, a wild pitch advanced both runners, Batchelder drilled a two-run single, and he eventually crossed after a stolen base, error and 300-foot sac-

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Swim Team Tryouts Set

The Andover-North Andover YMCA swim team will hold tryouts for its 1988-'89 swim season Sept. 12-24 at the YMCA building, 165 Haverhill St.

The coed team, open to youth ages 6 to 18 years, competes in Division I of the Eastern Mass. Swim League and U.S. Swimming.

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Pony All-Stars

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rifice fly by Brian Novelline.

Two Chelmsford errors helped Andover in its five-run third, with the key hits a single by Jimmy Hanning, RBI double by Batchelder and run-producing single by Novelline.

Chelmsford scratched out single runs in the third and fourth frames, making it 13-7, and then Bobby Sheehan ripped an RBI single in the fifth for Blue-Gold.

Andover added its final two runs in the seventh when Todd Murray walked, Hanning walked, both advanced on Halecki's infield out, and Ryan Legrow slapped a two-run single to rightfield.

Hanning scored three runs; Scott Halecki and Mike Famiglietti played strong defensive games at second and third base respectively; and Batchelder initiated a crisp 6-3 doubleplay to end the Chelmsford sixth.

Chelmsford, 7-5

Chelmsford's six-run fifth overshadowed a fine pitching performance by Blue-Gold righthander Joe Marinaro

Marinaro, 8-0 for Andover Blue during the GRPL season, worked three strong innings and left with a 4-1 lead. He scattered four Chelmsford singles, walked just one and fanned six.

Chelmsford managed just one hit in the six-run fifth, but six walks and an infield error aided the rally.

Chelmsford took a 1-0 lead in the top of the first when Roger Legrand walked, Matt Fisher singled him to third, and Ed Wetterwald hoisted a sacrifice fly.

Blue-Gold responded with two runs in the home half as Bobby Sheehan hammered a long triple down the leftfield line, Bill Batchelder lofted a long sacrifice fly, and catcher Chris Lane belted a bases-empty homerun to rightfield.

Brian Novelline later rapped a two-out double, took third on a passed ball, but was left stranded.

Andover notched an unearned run in the third stanza, Peter Arthur reaching second on a two-base throwing error and Sheehan singling him across.

In the fourth Novelline drilled another double and scored on Legrow's two-out single.

Chelmsford then pushed across its six runs in the fifth, assisted by the wildness of two Andover hurlers.

In the bottom of the fifth Mike Daley walked, one-out singles by Batchelder and Lane loaded the bases, and Bryan Smith's grounder was misplayed for a run.

Blue-Gold left the bases loaded, however, as a shallow fly to centerfield and a tapper to the mound ended the threat.

Sheehan, Lane, Legrow and Novelline sparked the nine-hit Andover assault with two safeties apiece.

Bryan Smith made a spectacular leaping catch in leftfield to spark the defense.

East Boston, 6-3

East Boston, with a long history of tough tournament teams, once again spotted Andover an early lead before roaring back for the victory in the Winthrop Tournament opening-round game.

Joe Marinaro pitched four superb innings of four-hit, shutout ball, striking out five and walking none.

But Eastie exploded for five hits and four runs in the fifth, inching ahead 4-3, and the winners added a pair of unearned insurance markers in the top of the seventh against reliever Bill Batchelder.

Blue-Gold took a 1-0 lead in the third inning when Mike Daley walked, moved to third base as Peter Arthur's grounder resulted in a throwing error and scored on a passed ball.

The lead jumped to 3-0 in the fourth. Brian Novelline and Bryan Smith drew leadoff walks; Ryan Legrow smacked an RBI single; and Mike Daley dropped a perfect suicide squeeze bunt.

Subsequent walks to Jim Landry and

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Swim

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Acceptance on the 100-plus member team is based on tryout times within each age group as well as stroke ability, potential and workout analysis during the two-week evaluation period. An initial cut will be made September 21 with notification of final acceptance on September 24 after a time trial meet.

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Laura Morgan of Andover recently competed in the Aleppo Mounted Patrol Horse Show in Westford.

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Peter Arthur loaded the bases, but East Boston relief pitcher Mark Sarro averted further damage with a strikeout.

Blue-Gold threatened just once more, in the fifth, when Bill Batchelder singled but was gunned down stealing. Bryan Smith clouted a two-out triple later in the same inning, but another Sarro strikeout left him stranded.

Blue-Gold managed just four hits, Batchelder leading the way at 2-for-4.

Batchelder fanned five in his two frames of relief, including four in the sixth inning. He whiffed the first hitter, who reached on a dropped third strike, and then fanned the next three to make it four Ks in the sixth.

Blue-Gold, 14-4

Winning pitcher Bryan Smith, Joe Marinaro and Bill Batchelder combined for a six-hitter and 13 strikeouts against Everett, which had lost its tourney opener to Revere.

Smith worked the first four innings, yielding five hits, four runs (all unearned), walking two and striking out six.

Marinaro followed with two frames of one-hit relief, whiffing four, and then Batchelder finished it with an overpowering flourish by fanning the side in the seventh.

Blue-Gold fell behind 2-0 in the first, but tied it in the third after loading the bases on walks to Jimmy Hanning, Batchelder and an opposite-field single by Bobby Sheehan.

Everett pitcher Scott Shepard almost worked free when the next batter bounced into a 1-2-3 doubleplay, but Bryan Smith's hot shot off the third baseman's glove scored Sheehan and Batchelder.

Blue-Gold erased a 4-2 deficit with five runs in the fifth stanza. Smith drew a bases-loaded walk to force home a run, two more crossed when Jim Landry's grounder produced a throwing error, and Mike Daley lined a sharp two-run single to rightfield to make it 7-4.

In the sixth Jimmy Hanning walked for the third straight time, Bobby Sheehan reached on an error, Hanning stole third and scored on an overthrow, and Brian Novelline singled home Sheehan.

Andover added five final runs in the seventh, the key strokes RBI singles by Sheehan and Batchelder. Sheehan later scored on an outfield throwing error and Batchelder on a wild pitch.

Bobby Sheehan and Brian Novelline laced two hits apiece for Blue-Gold, Jim Landry and Brendan Sharkey contributed singles, Mike Daley and Bryan Smith collected two RBI each.

Sheehan was a defensive standout at shortstop.

Swim

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The ANA swim team parents' council will hold a meeting for parents on Monday and Wednesday evenings, Sept. 12 and 14 to help the parents meet and to explain the "ins and outs" of competitive swimming as it applies to parents, swimmers and their families. Council members will provide coffee and information and answer questions.

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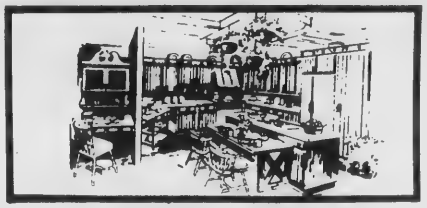

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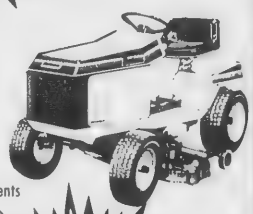
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wiped out a 3-0 deficit and may have been the most prolific inning in Regional Tournament history.

The Nationals paraded 16 batters to the plate in the pivotal second, which started with a single by Toby Guzowski, sacrifice by Pat Walsh on which both runners were safe, and infield single by Danny Hansberry to load the bases.

Todd Harris walked to force home a run, Matt Wolcott's infield single chased home Walsh and Ryan Moynihan blooped a single to centerfield for two runs and a 4-3 lead.

Andover National, 9-6

Rick Saggese's dramatic grand-slammer in the top of the ninth made a winner of Toby Guzowski for the eighth straight time, the lanky lefty tossing nine frames of clutch six-hit ball and retiring 12-of-14 Delaware batters at one stretch in the pulsating extra innings.

Delaware inched ahead 1-0 in the bottom of the first, but also left the bases loaded.

Andover National came back with two runs in the second stanza when Guzowski golfed a low pitch way over the fence for a two-run homer.

The East champs tacked on three runs in the top of the fifth for a seemingly-comfortable 5-1 lead, but Delaware came back with four in the home half to tie it.

Saggese, Guzowski, Paul Allard, Brian Flanagan, Pat Walsh and Matt Wolcott contributed two hits each to the typically well-balanced Andover attack.

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ANDOVER CONSERVATION COMMISSION ANDOVER, MASS. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT as Amended Chapter 131, Section 40, M.G.L.

A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 1 September 1988 at 9:15 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., Andover on the Request For Determination filed by Tully Electric for a project located at Mast Industries, Old River Road. This project consists of proposed electric utility trenches to serve additional parking lot lighting. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlet Street, Andover.

ROBERT A. PUSTELL,
CHAIRMAN
ANDOVER
CONSERVATION
COMMISSION
August 25, 1988

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Audi's use of motorsports as part of its overall research and development program is rooted in the tradition of the company and its chairman, Dr. Ferdinand Piech, the nephew of the late Dr. Ferdinand Porsche, founder of the car company which bears his name.

Even before Porsche began his famous Stuttgart automotive firm, he and Audi had explored the relationship between competition and its effect on cars sold to the public when Porsche masterminded the V-12 Auto Union Grand Prix single seaters in the 1930s.

Piech, who followed in his grandfather's footsteps by demonstrating what could be done in terms of development through racing when he was technical director at Porsche in the late 1960s, created among others the fabulous Porsche 917/30 Turbo Can Am car.

When Piech moved to Audi, the idea of continually exploring the unknown in automotive technology came with him; the results of his inquisitive mind producing not only the five-cylinder engine and its subsequent turbocharged version, but also Quattro all-wheel-drive and the unique aerodynamic body styles that have now been copied by much of the automotive industry.

That philosophy of pushing the technological "envelope" outward through motorsport was clearly evident when Audi first committed the Quattro to the World Rally championship at the start of the 1980s.

The all-wheel-drive Quattro not only left its mark on the sport, but changed it forever, as it paved the way for a whole new generation of follow-on cars. In the process, it garnered not only the manufacturers, but also the drivers championships as well, an arena whose worldwide importance is considered to be equal to that of Formula One Grand Prix racing.

Audi's motorsport tradition in the United States began with John Buffum, the Vermonter starting his association with Audi behind the wheel of a front-wheel drive Audi 4000 in 1981. The following season, Buffum and his first Quattro and the U.S. rally scene was never the same as he and Audi dominated the sport on this side of the Atlantic until his retirement at the end of last season.

Still, Audi's competition efforts here haven't been just limited to the Sports Car Club of America's wilderness-based series. One particular venue where Audi's rings have shown brightly has been Pikes Peak. The Sport Quattro has been the overall champion for the past three years, adding to two previous production car titles, in a performance that has included three overall, absolute Pikes Peak records (the last being the one set in 1987 by Walter Roehrl at just over 10 munites and 47 seconds).

In addition, Audi has participated and won the One Lap of America and Alcan 5000 endurance road rallies, further enhancing its reputation for speed and durability.

In 1987, Audi fielded its first serious effort in the SCAA's Escort endurance championship, again displaying its advanced technology with three consecutive triumphs in the SSA classification starting at Road Atlanta on Labor Day weekend and including Mid-Ohio and Sebring.

The Audi 200 Turbo Quattro/Trans-Ams then may be new, but they represent a tradition almost as old as Audi itself.

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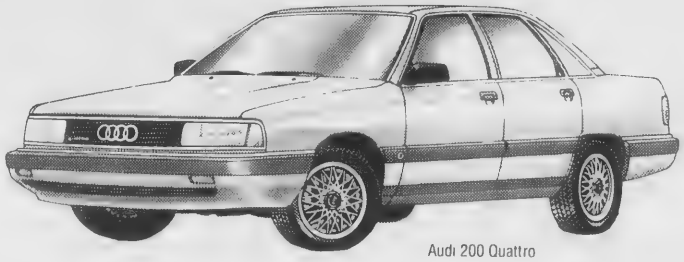

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Volvo 780 Combines Style, Drivability

By Brad Clark

I dove into the Volvo 780 Coupe and immediately headed up Highway 16. I zipped open the power sunroof and prepared myself for the enviable yask of finding out what Volvo's most expensive car ever was all about.

In the past, Volvo has always been the Dr. Scholls of the car industry: sensible, reliable, practical, comfortable and perhaps a tad boring. That stereotype was challenged with the 700 series in 1983 which combined the luxury of, say, Bally, with the sportiness of a Reebok trainer.

The 780 is the next logical progression for Volvo, a jump in stlye from Bally to Gucci. Nuccio Bertone, the famous Italian coach builder, designed and builds the 780's body and interior, giving it all the grace and elegance it needs to compete in the intense luxury market.

Ideally, the 780 and I should have become formally acquainted on twisting alpine roads just outside Turin, where Bertone's factory gave birth to the car. My black Swedish-Italian beauty seemed out of place on an all-too-straight prairie thoroughfare.

But daydreams of the Italian Alps and disgust for budget constraints were interrupted by a hay-bale- laden pick-up just past the Devon turn-off. Straw was blowing all over the highway and up over the long hood of my elegant 780.

"How dare this cretan violate a brand new automotive work of art with his straw and dust," I thought, somewhat surprised at my sudden possessiveness.

With "I'll-show-you" vengeance on my mind I signalled and pulled around the hay wagon in front of me. The four-speed automatic brought us out and past the pickup with a minimum of fuss.

In fact, in very short order the 780 was sailing along at 130 km/h. It certainly didn't seem that fast, but as we continued to pass several other less anti-social drivers I realized the speedometer was telling the truth. The hay wagon was no longer anywhere to be seen.

It was at this point that I really came to know and love the Volvo 780. The all-leather, six-way power seats were infinitely comfortable, perfect for streaking down even an Alberta highway. The power sunroof was open and still the car was very quiet and rode beautifully, due in good measure to a superior suspension package that includes coil springs, trailing arms, gas-filled shock absorbers and sway bar. It's not the absolute state-of-the-art in suspensions but you would't know to drive it.

Back in the city a little while later, I found the ride so smooth and quiet that I had to keep a sharp eye on the speedometer to prevent speeding.

Heading back home, I noticed a number of cars slowing down to take a look at the 780. The car is very handsome, with the rectangular lines of its 700 series confreres, but with much better proportions and none of the slight awkwardness.

What passers-by couldn't see, the interior, is equally attractive: leather seats, burl-elm trim, minimalist stereo console and a no-nonsense, easy-to-read dashboard full of analogue gauges.

Rear seat passengers aren't discriminated against either in the 780. Their bucket seats are every bit as comfortable as those in the front and also come with head rests and shoulder restrants.

Which brings us to the topic of safety. Volvo has always been known for its superior crashworthiness and commitment to the security of the passengers in its vehicles. That hasn't changed with the 780, which comes with air bags and a Bosch Anti-lock Braking System. ABS, probably the single most important safety development in the auto industry in recent times, prevents skidding out of control in tense braking situations.

The Volvo 780 Coupe is available at Jaffarian's, 312 River St. in Haverhill.

Speed merchants might find the rear-wheel driven, fuel injected 780 a tad under-powered, but it really isn't targeted for the Porsche set. Performance is respectatle: 0 to 100 km/h in a tick over 10 seconds; 145 horses from the three-litre V6.

Luxury is the operative word here and the 780 comes with all the baubles and bells imaginable, including an alarm system and power everything.

And the 780 is extremely exclusive. Bob Hammond, general manager of Volvo Village, estimates only 70 or so will make it to Canada. About 2,000 will be made available in the U.S.

The 1987 Volvo 780 I tested sells for around $545,000. The 1988 version, due out, oddly enough, in 1988, will retail for just over $50,000.

Clark's story was reprinted from the Edmonton, Alberta, Canada Journal.

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THE TRIAL COURT
THE PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT DEPARTMENT
Essex Division
Docket No. 84P2533-E1

To all persons interested in the estate of **Katherine E. Maloney** late of Andover, in said County, deceased.

You are hereby notified pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 72 that the first account of **Edward B. Hanify** as Executor (the fiduciary) of the will of said deceased has been presented to said Court for allowance.

If you desire to preserve your right to file an objection to said account, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Salem on or before the nineteenth day of September, 1988, the return day of this citation. You may upon written request by registered or certified mail to the fiduciary, or to the attorney for the fiduciary, obtain without cost a copy of said account. If you desire to object to any item of said account, you must, in addition to filing a written appearance as aforesaid, file within thirty days after said return day or within such other time as the Court upon motion may order a written statement of each such item together with the grounds for each objection thereto, a copy to be served upon the fiduciary pursuant to Mass. R. Civ. P. Rule 5.

Witness, Thaddeus Buczko, Esquire, First Justice of said Court, this eighteenth day of August, 1988.

JOHN F. BURKE
Register
August 25, 1988

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
THE TRIAL COURT
THE PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT DEPARTMENT
Essex Division
Docket No. 88P2048-GM1
NOTICE OF GUARDIANSHIP - MINOR - WITH - WITHOUT SURETIES
NOTICE

To all persons interested in **Allison P. Sharp** of Andover in said County, a minor.

A petition has been presented in the above-captioned matter praying that **Earl T. Carothers** and **Sandra F. Carothers**, both of Andover in the County of Essex, or some other suitable person be appointed her guardian, with custody.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney must file a written appearance in said Court at Salem on or before September 19, 1988.

Witness, Thaddeus Buczko, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Salem, the sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-eight.

JOHN F. BURKE,
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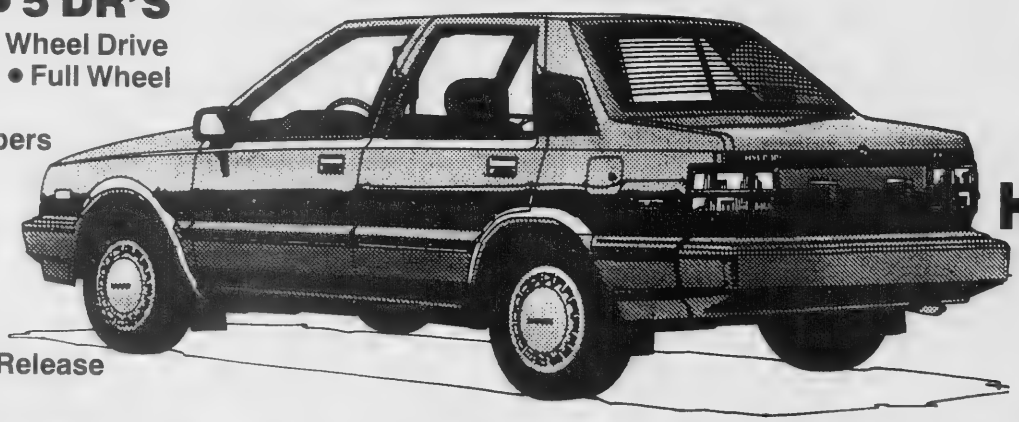

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In 1985, after successfully locating a qualified Midwestern nanny, Rex had seven other prime candidates for his one position. Not a person to let opportunity slip by, Moon began One on One, Inc. and placed the remaining seven candidates in surrounding communities. Today, nearly four years and 150 placements later, One on One is growing by leaps and bounds. Utilizing innovative and extensive networking nationwide, One on One is able to secure a wide spectrum of qualified child care professionals for quality placement in the Boston area.

Brenda Simmers, Vice President of Operations at One on One, attributes the growth of the nanny placement industry to the overwhelming need parents have to provide their children with the very best care. "What better solution than to give your children their own nanny", said Ms. Simmers. A life long area resident, she is an Early Childhood specialist and former nanny who successfully managed a local hospital's employee day care center until coming to One on One in 1986. Utilizing her expertise and passionate concern for children, Ms. Simmers and Mr. Moon have forged new and creative methods to attract quality nannies from the Midwest to stay in the Boston area for one year.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF THE REAL ESTATE

By virture and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in a certain mortgage given by **Gates M. Poore to Dorothy Neal Treanor** dated December 16, 1980 and recorded within the Essex County, Northern Essex Registry at Book 1477, Page 13 of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 11:00 AM September 12, 1988 at the premises, Andover, Massachusetts, further described below, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage.

To Wit:

LOT 1

Containing 43,596 square feet, beginning at a point on Osgood Street, twenty (20) feet from land now or formerly of Robert B. Ozoonian and running S 30 degrees 41' 00" E180 feet along Osgood Street, thence running S87 degrees 51' 33" W 253.75 feet along lots 2 and 3 as shown on said plan, thence running N62 degrees 45' 39": W231.00 feet along lots 3 and 4 as shown on said plan, thence running N82 degrees 46' 55" E 316.22 feet along Parcel "A" as shown on said plan thence running 70 degrees 36' 55" E 56.60 feet along Parcel "A" as shown on said plan to the point of beginning.

LOT 2

Containing 30,311 square feet, beginning at a point on Osgood Street by Lot 1, running S 30 degrees 41' 00" E 89.67 feet along Osgood Street, then 39.27 feet along entrance curve for Apple Blossom Road, thence 89.71 feet along transition curve, then running S 77 degrees 04' 50" W 115.00 feet along Apple Blossom Road, then running N 12 degrees 59' 10" W 167.20 feet along Lot 3, thence running N 87 degrees 51' 33" E 195.56 feet along Lot 1 to the point of beginning.

Being the same premises as conveyed to Gates M. Poore as deed of Apple Blossom Development Corporation, dated December 16, 1980 and recorded herewith.

Terms of sale: Said sale is made subject to and with the benefit of any and all restrictions, easements, improvements, outstanding tax titles, municipal or other public taxes, assessments, liens and existing encumbrances of record, created prior to the mortgage, whether or not reference to such restrictions, easements, improvements, liens, or encumbrances, is made in the deed. Twenty-thousand ($20,000.00) Dollars in cash or certified check, will be required to be paid or delivered to the holder by the purchaser at the time and place of the sale and the balance of the purchase price shall be paid in cash or certified check within ten (10) days after the date of sale and shall be deposited in escrow with Charles F. Dalton, Jr., Esquire, 2 Dundee Park, Andover, Massachusetts 01810 pending approval of the sale by the Land Court. The deed shall be delivered within ten (10) days from the date of approval of the sale by the Land Court. Other terms to be announced at the sale.

Susan T. Poore
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August 18 & 25, 1988
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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by **Paul A. Ciampa and Debra A. Ciampa** to Arlington Trust Company dated October 24, 1984 and recorded with Essex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 1883, Page 221, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing, the same will be sold at Public Auction at 2:00 o'clock p.m. of the ninth day of September, A.D., 1988, at 16 Hall Avenue, Andover, Massachusetts, all and singular the premises described in said mortgage, to wit:

The land in Andover, Essex County, Massachusetts, with the buildings thereon, situated in that part thereof known as Ballardvale, being shown as Lot 4B on plan of land entitled "Plan of land in Andover, Mass., as surveyed for Edward P. Hall, March 1946," recorded with the North District of Essex Registry of Deeds as Plan No. 1749; said premises being bounded and described as follows:

NORTHWESTERLY: by Hall Avenue, one hundred twenty feet;

NORTHEASTERLY: by lot numbered 4A as shown on said plan, being land now or formerly of Jagger, one hundred one and 27/100 feet;

SOUTHEASTERLY: by land now or formerly of the Town of Andover, eighty-five feet; and

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Being the same premises conveyed to the mortgagors by deed of Arthur G. Manley, Jr. and Mary E. Manley, dated December 15, 1977 and recorded with said Deeds in Book 1327, Page 613.

The premises described in the above referenced mortgage will be sold subject to and with benefit of all restrictions, easements, improvements, outstanding tax titles, muncipal or other public taxes, assessments, liens or claims in the nature of liens, and existing encumbrances of record created prior to the mortgage, if any.

Terms of Sale: Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) shall be required to be paid in cash, certified check, or bank treasurer's check at the time and place of sale. The balance shall be paid within twenty (20) days thereafter to be deposited in escrow with Arlington Trust Company pending approval of said sale by the Land Court. The deed is to be transferred within ten (10) days from the date of such approval, said approval being the only condition of the escrow. Other terms, if any, to be announced at sale.

ARLINGTON TRUST COMPANY
Present Holder of
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August 11, 18 & 25

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF HEARING

A public hearing will be held in THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE CONFERENCE ROOM, SCHOOL OFFICE BUILDING, SECOND FLOOR, WHITTIER STREET ENTRANCE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1988 at 7:00 p.m. on the petition of **Mobil Oil Corporation,** 580 Chelsea Street, East Boston, MA for a variance from the requirements of the following sections of the Andover Zoning By-Law:

a) Section IV.B.23 (to allow a gasoline service station with repair bays)

b) Section V.A (from front, side and rear yard depth requirements for gasoline service station, canopy, and trash enclosure structure)

c) Section V.B.3.a (to allow placement of accessory structure in front and side yard area)

d) Section V.B.8.d (from yard depth requirements from internal access road in an Industrial District)

e) Section V.B.8.e (to allow placement of structures within required lawn and landscaping areas in an Industrial District)

f) Section VI.A.3.d (to allow driveways which exceed maximum width)

g) Section VI.a.3.g (from buffer requirement for parking area)

h) Section VI.A.7.b (to allow less than 150 feet of frontage between driveways in an Industrial District)

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Premises affected are located at 139 River Road, Andover, MA in and ID district and is shown on Assesors's Map 165 as Lot 1C.

WESLEY E. WHITNEY,
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Premises affected are located at 9 Rocky Hill Road, Andover, MA in a SRC District and is shown on Assessor's Map 63 as Lot 43.

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Premises affected are located at 86 River Street, Andover, MA 01810 in a SRB District and shown on Assesor's Map 140 as Lot 36.

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Premises affected are located at 76 Poor Street, Andover, MA in a SRA District and is shown on Assessor's Map 52 as Lot 96.

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Premises affected are located at 5 Pleasant Street, Andover, MA in a SRC District and is shown on Assesor's Map 216 as Lot 8.

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A public hearing will be held in THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE CONFERENCE ROOM, SCHOOL OFFICE BUILDING, SECOND FLOOR, WHITTIER STREET ENTRANCE, ANDOVER on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1988 at 7:00 p.m. on the petition of **Anthony A. & Freida N. Vitale,** 22 Topping Road, Andover, MA for a variance from the requirements of Article VIII, Section V.A. of the Zoning By-Law to allow an extension that will not meet minimum setback requirements.

Premises affected are located at 22 Topping Road, Andover, MA in a SRA District and is shown on Assesor's Map 51 as Lot 152.

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August 18 & 25, 1988

ANDOVER CONSERVATION COMMISSION ANDOVER, MASS. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT as Amended Chapter 131, Section 40, M.G.L.

A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 1 Sept 1988 at 8:30 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., Andover on the Request For Determination filed by **Mobil Oil Corporation** for a project located at 139 River Road. This project consists of removal of the old gasoline service station and replacement with a new facility. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlet Street, Andover.

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ANDOVER CONSERVATION COMMISSION ANDOVER, MASS. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING WETLANDS PROTECTION ACT as Amended Chapter 131, Section 40, M.G.L.

A public hearing under the Massachusetts Wetlands Protection Act, M.G.L. 131, s. 40 will be held by the Andover Conservation Commission on Thursday, 1 September 1988 at 8:40 p.m. in the third floor Conference Room of the Andover Town Offices, 36 Bartlet St., Andover on the Request For Determination filed by **Phillips Academy** for a project located at the Phillips Academy Boathouse at the Merrimack River. This project consists of the construction of a sewer line to service the existing boathouse. Plans for this project may be seen at the Conservation Office, 36 Bartlet Street, Andover.

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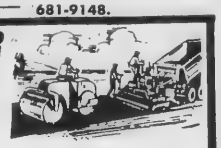

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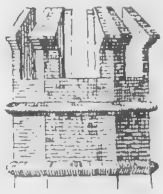

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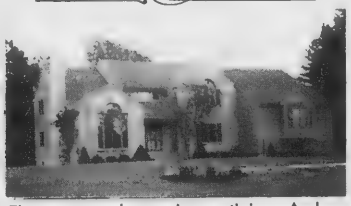

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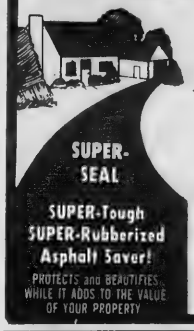

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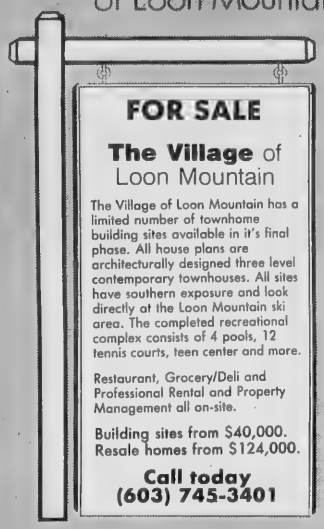

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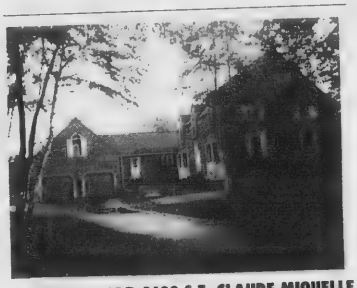

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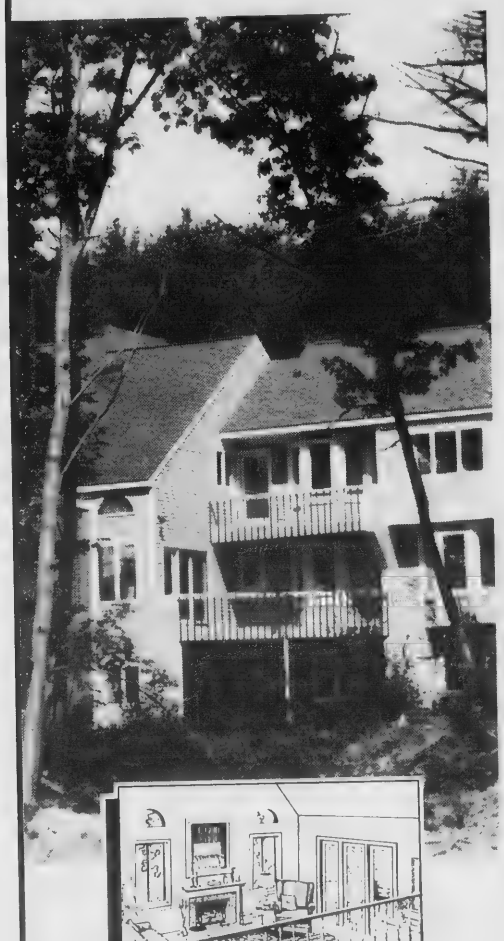

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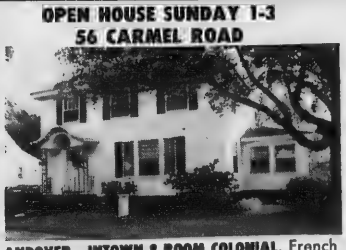

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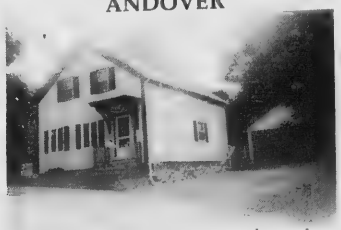

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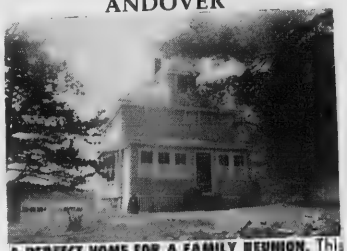

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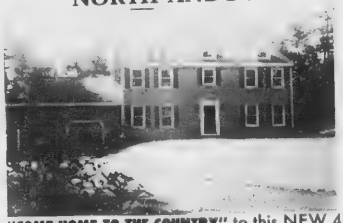

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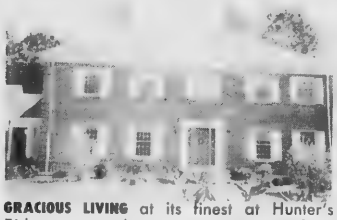

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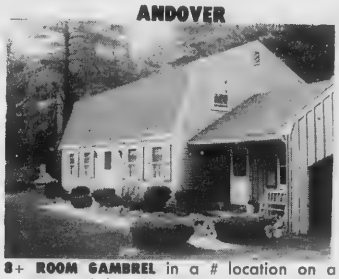

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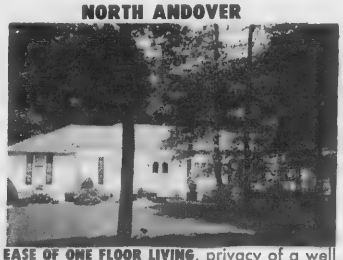

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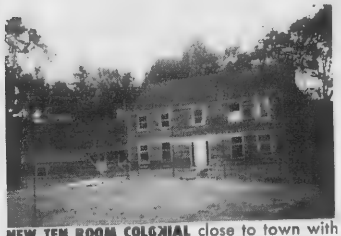

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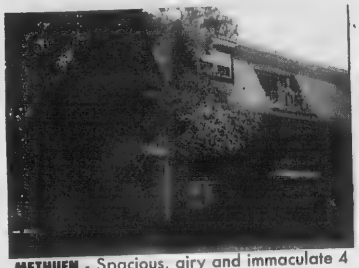

METHUEN - Spacious, airy and immaculate 4 room condo admist tall trees and an end unit. Large extra storage area. Included in amenities are: pool, tennis, clubhouse and playground. Convenient to highways and shopping. **$95,900**

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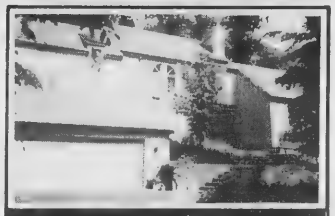
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FOR LEASE OR SALE - Perfectly delightful 8 room split in well treed country setting on 1+ acres! Fireplaced living room, dining room, fully applianced brand new custom kitchen, family room with fieldstone fireplace, 3 bedrooms, master with 1/2 bath. An excellent value-added choice! **$232,900**

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PARK-LIKE GARDENS are just one of the many attractive features of this tidy 7 room split! Located in an excellent neighborhood just a short walk to town, this spotless home is perfect for the family with children - 3 bedrooms, 2 car garage, public utilities, and more! Great area! **$259,900**

LOVELY COUNTRY SETTING! Nicely sited well back from the road. 8 room Colonial with personality and appeal - living room, dining room, cherry cabinet kitchen, delightful Florida room surrounded by glass sliders overlooking beautiful acre lot. 4 bedrooms, attached 2-car garage, minutes to Rte. 93 & 495. Fabulous value! **$269,000**

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IMMACULATE 8 ROOM RANCH on beautifully landscaped lot in wonderful neighborhood! Unique floor plan for comfort and entertaining - family room, living room, dining room, huge eat-in kitchen, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, finished lower level with 1/2 bath. 3-season cedar porch with Jenn-Air. Must see! **$274,900**

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SPECTACULAR BRICK FRONT COLONIAL in beautiful North Andover neighborhood offers 10 rooms of great family living! Cathedral ceiling fireplced family room with skylights, huge eat-in kitchen, formal dining room, 4 generous bedrooms, master with cathedral ceiling, skylight. Lower level rumpus room a perfect playroom! **$449,900**

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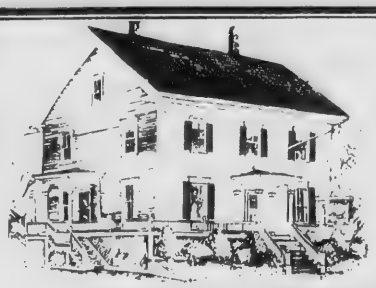

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NORTH ANDOVER - JUST LISTED - Dramatic Waterfront Townhouse! Breathtaking views, all day sun, finest location make this elegant and luxurious end unit a must see. Italian tile foyer, step-down living room, stunning loft, custom built-ins, and large brick wrap around courtyard. Realistically priced at
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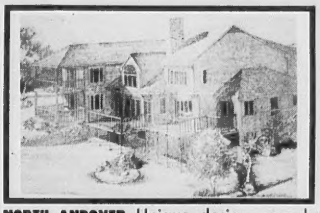
ANDOVER - 1st AD! Great starter home in move-in condition. Comfortable family room off remodeled kitchen. Deck for privacy. A great family neighborhood south of town. **$209,000**

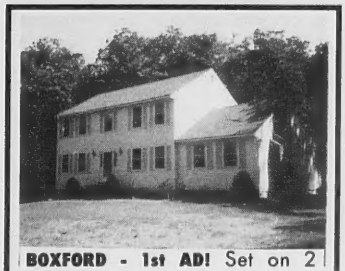
ANDOVER - Lovely 9 room colonial in one of Andover's nicest executive areas. Filled with amenities including: 2 zone central air, central vac, intercom, inground sprinkler system and more. Set on professionally landscaped grounds. **$439,900**



NORTH ANDOVER Unique design, superb construction and magnificent view combine to make this property a standout in today's market. This 10+ room contemporary under construction in a top executive neighborhood will offer the finest in amenities and services. **$895,000**

LAWRENCE - Nice duplex ready for occupancy. Great for owner occupied or investors. Fenced-in yard, off street parking, separate heating systems. Plus possible extra lot. **$150,000**

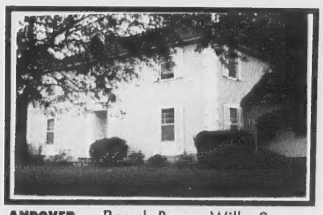
HOUSE OF THE WEEK



BOXFORD - 1st AD! Set on 2 acres on an executive cul-de-sac is this stately 9 room colonial. Spacious family room with cathedral ceiling, fireplace and adjoining den. Gracious living room and dining room with hardwood floors. Impeccable condition. **$359,900**

NORTH ANDOVER - 2 story end-unit - open contemporary - five offices including 2 baths and kitchenette. Available for sale or lease. Great location. **$215,000**

HAVERHILL - New 7 room hip roof colonial in quiet new subdivision. Nice corner wooded lot. 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 2 car garage. Convenient to major highways and shopping. **$246,900**



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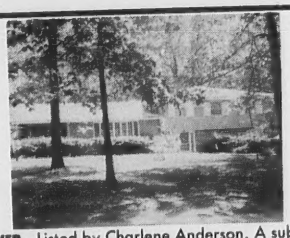
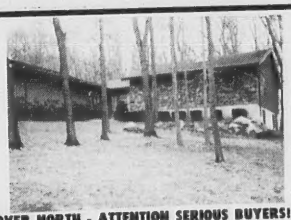


ANDOVER - Listed by Charlene Anderson. A suburban atmosphere just minutes from downtown. This multi-level offers picture windows, family room, dining room has built-ins. Hardwood floors, throughout. Cedar closet in master bedroom. A terrific value in todays market. **$259,900**



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ANDOVER - Listed by Charlene Anderson. Value this month in Andover Gardens offers 2 bedrooms, 1 bath and a panoramic view of this falls changings seasons. Walking distance to YMCA and Merrimack College. Condo fee includes heat, hot water, maintenance, insurance, cooking gas, pool and storage, all you pay is electric and phone. 2 deed parking spaces. **$99,900**

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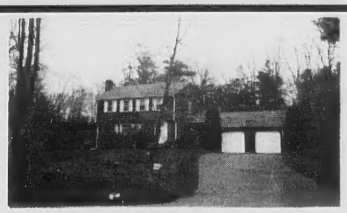

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Dukakis Praises Abbot's Pond Project

By Frank Messina

Gov. Michael Dukakis stepped off the presidential campaign trail long enough to dust off his boots at an Andover construction site Monday where he praised the Abbot's Pond affordable housing development and talked with a few of the project applicants.

"This is quality housing, folks. This is quality workmanship," said Dukakis, standing in a dirt lot in front of five nearly-completed units of the Andover Street development before a crowd of Andover citizens, town and state officials and members of the national media.

Presidential candidate Michael Dukakis was in town early this week to talk to five families applying for Abbot's Pond affordable housing units.

Townsman photo by Matthew Sapienza

The Andover appearance was one in a series of stops around the state Monday and Tuesday where the governor hoped to focus the country's gaze on some of his pet social and economic programs.

After speaking of the Andover project in glowing terms, Dukakis obliquely criticized the Reagan administration; calling for more affordable housing to be constructed throughout the nation.

He pointed to successful federal programs developed after World War II to house returning GIs and their families.

"When the GIs came home, this country responded and we produced a lot of housing," Dukakis said. "We didn't sit around. We didn't wait for something to turn up...That was a lot of affordable housing because as a nation, we took our commitment for affordable housing seriously.

"That's what we're doing in Massachusetts. Before long, I hope that's what we're doing all across America."

Dukakis spent time on both days of his Massachusetts stopover in Andover, attending a Tuesday press conference at the Sheraton Rolling Green Hotel regarding temporary jail facilities before moving on to Washington, D.C.

Dukakis met privately Monday with five of the 670 families applying for 14 designated affordable units in the 49 unit subdivision. Assisted by state subsidies, Picwel Builders, Inc. plan to sell the two bedroom condominiums for between $78,000 and $100,000. A lottery scheduled for sometime in September will decide who is eligible to purchase the dwellings.

After listening to what he described as growing fears and concerns overthe expensive new home market in the Boston area, the governor introduced the Rev. Neil Olcott, pastor of the Free Christian Church in Andover, as spokesman for the applicants.

Olcott recalled the frustrations and problems he and his wife encountered looking for an inexpensive home in Andover. "As we drove around the town, (when) I saw houses with a 'for sale' sign on it, we'd pull the car over and quickly jot down the number of the realtor. We'd say, 'That's only a four-room house and it has got to be something we can afford.'"

But so far, their search has led to nothing but failure in a community where the average value of a home is $234,000.

The pastor has decided there are only three ways to locate affordable housing in Andover: inherit lots of money, win Megabucks, or find a miracle.

"As a pastor of the Free Church, I do believe strongly that God does still work miracles and I have to say...the opportunity to afford housing like this is truly a miracle."

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